THE WEATHER.
Fair tonight and colder; Friday fair; moderate to brisk northwest winds.
Sun rises 7:04; sets 4:12.
Moon sets 5:11 a. m.
High tide 9:30 a. m.; 10 p. m.
Temperatures: Boston 32, Chicago 23, New Orleans 48, New York 34.

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KNOWLES MUST INSIST UPON A THOROUGH INVESTIGATION

To Mr. Joseph Knowles:

You are entitled to, and should demand, AN OFFICIAL INVESTIGATION so that the actual truth may be known about your experiment in the Maine woods.

You should demand an investigation by a representative scientific body, before whom all the facts could be laid, witnesses permitted to testify, and the actual truth made known.

Or, if you prefer, your investigation can be made IN A COURT OF LAW.

The men who have questioned your statements are responsible. The reporter, Bert Ford, is RESPONSIBLE. He will DEFEND any suit you may bring against him. This newspaper is RESPONSIBLE. It will defend any suit you may bring against it.

You are INVITED to bring such action as you may deem proper, so that the TRUTH may be known. If any man has wronged you, or any newspaper has wronged you, you should demand, in a court of justice, that all possible amends be made.

This newspaper desires only that the TRUTH shall be established. It is up to YOU to establish THE TRUTH of your statements.

PRIMITIVE ALLEN IN THE WOODS

"I am about the worst joke I know of in my uproarious imitation of a primitive man," says Lewis Allen in the installment of his messages printed in today's AMERICAN. Troubles! Primitive Man Allen found the woods full of nothing but troubles from the time he fell into a pond until he sat on an ant hill. He tells today of making his bow and arrows, and of what he killed with them.

By LEWIS ALLEN (Primitive Man)

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(SECOND WEEK)

SUNDAY—When Joe Gamac came upon me for my messages, I was so absorbed in my own particular miseries of trying to exist in the primeval forest no better garbed with the habiliments of civilization than a new-laid egg, that I became frightened and ran about three miles before old Joe tired me out and overtook me.

"For why you ran lak strek of blue? T'eenk ah'm robbaire? Sacre donc! Of what am ah rob you? Wan piece wild grep-vine an' two bunch moss? Da's all you posses' jes' now," exclaimed Joe, disgustedly.

I informed Joe that if he'd give me his clothes, or half of them, I'd pay him a hundred dollars as soon as I got back to civilization, but Joe only laughed at me. (He must have been tipped off as to my financial status.)

"Boss on papaire he say you try for to steal my pants boffen me, mebbe ah ain't watch out," grinned Joe, and he took the manuscript, said "Goo'bye" and hiked away, little knowing that I had stolen his tobacco.

You may not be able to read what I have written, for few great literary men like myself have ever undergone the experience of sitting on an old log in a sylvan glade wearing a suit of moss that scratched in some places and tickled in others, and tried to write, especially with a pair of grapevine galluses that are not exactly like silk.

Monday Was Wash Day.

MONDAY—Wash day. I fell in the pond the first thing in the morning, but having no creases in my trousers, didn't mind. This was due a great deal to the fact I had no trousers. Menu today: Frogs' legs and huckleberries.

TUESDAY—Wish I had a camera, not to take my own picture, by any means, but to take a picture of my "bungalow." It is a corker. In a cove on the shore of a little pond I found a great tree blown over and caught in the crotch of

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CAMILLE CLIFFORD DECLARES HER "STAGE FRIGHT" HAS PASSED

Mrs. Lyndhurst Bruce, former Camille Clifford, whose debut as a singer in London was marred by a seizure of "stage fright."

LONDON, Dec. 11.—Her stage debut as a singer somewhat marred by a sudden seizure of "stage fright," the Hon. Mrs. Lyndhurst Bruce, formerly Camille Clifford, the beautiful actress who while a member of the "Prince of Pilsen" company captivated this city some years ago, declared today that she had recovered and would make another try shortly.

Mrs. Bruce made her debut at the Little Theatre in a singing act and was being given a great ovation when suddenly, to the amazement of the spectators, including many friends of the nobility, she suddenly broke off in the middle of her song, and, exclaiming that she was "too nervous to continue," hurried from the stage.

Mrs. Bruce was Camille Otterson, daughter of poor, but respectable parents of Christiana, Norway. Longing for a stage career she ran away from home in 1899, and came to New York in the steerage of the steamship Pavonia.

On her arrival here she secured employment as a maid in a Boston family. Her remarkable beauty attracted Henry W. Savage, who found a place for her in the "Prince of Pilsen" company, which he was then about to produce.

Looking for Extra Money?

Many an odd dollar can be earned in the afternoons and evenings by those who have time to spare from regular work. Opportunities of this nature are presented in practically every issue of the American.

Turn over to the "Help Wanted" classification in the

Boston American

"Want Ad" pages and read the offerings. Keep it up for a few days until you run across something that suits.

Better still—make assurance doubly sure by running a little "Want Ad" of your own. Leave it with any of the American's "Want Ad" Stations, the branch office at 264 Washington street, or the

Boston American
80 Summer Street

BIG SLUMP FOR NEW HAVEN

67⅜ NEW LOW FOR STOCK

New Haven stock fell today to the lowest mark in its history. In Boston the low mark up to 2 p. m. was 67½. In New York it was 67⅜. The stock closed last night at 72¾, but the passed dividend sent it dropping steadily under heavy sales today.

Eleven thousand women and hundreds of children and dependents received a bitter financial blow in the passing of the New Haven road's quarterly dividend—for the first time in forty years, and New Haven bonds face financial outlawry as savings bank investments.

The dividend has been on an 8 per cent. basis since 1895 up till last March. Then it fell to a 6 per cent. basis and that rate was paid in June and September.

President Elliott of the New Haven said a few months ago that he hoped to see the road continue dividends on a 4 per cent. basis. And to this per cent. the investors of New England pinned their hopes.

Popular Idol for Years.

It is the "Tragedy of the New Haven"—the fall of a mighty public property to poverty. The road was once a popular idol. In 1889, its stock sold at $279 a share.

Never have investors received a more bitter blow. Never has their confidence been so assailed as in this fall of the New Haven. Up till 1895 the road paid 10 per cent. dividends. From 1895 till 1912—even while the sharp fingers of the Morgan interests was scratching at its vitals—the road paid an 8 per cent. dividend. The road was a fine property—strong and virile—and like the Spartan lad who hid a fox beneath his cloak till the animal clawed out his vitals, the road preserved a brave front till Morgan and his crew at last cut away its very heart.

In 1912, an eight per cent. dividend was paid. Thus far in 1913, five per cent. has been paid. Next year there is no apparent prospect of any dividend!

What the public thinks of New Haven stock was revealed on the Boston and New York exchanges today. In Boston,

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Alderman Cook of Everett Drops Dead

Alderman Charles F. Cook of Everett dropped dead early today near the West street station of the Saugus branch of the Boston & Maine. Gastric trouble is thought to be the cause. Mr. Cook had been in excellent health.

Chase and Arrest Woman for Threats

Mary Sullivan of Lynn was today arrested after a brisk chase on a charge of making threats against Edward Geary. It is her third arrest on the same charge. A month ago she was fined $10 and placed on probation.

Fresno Dan Guarded Against Fair Sex

A powerful searchlight, to protect the Russell estate in Melrose from intrusion at night has been installed to sweep the approaches and grounds around the mansion.

Hounded day and night by proposals of marriage by mail, telephone, and in person, "Fresno Dan" Russell has left Melrose for a few days.

"Fresno Dan" fears that the other claimant to the Russell $150,000 fortune, or friends of "Dakota Dan," might play the part of detectives and seek to get into close communication with him and members of the household. He is said even to fear that he will be personally attacked.

Today he is visiting friends in Worcester, to get away from his cares. He had begun to tire of opening all the letters from women who wish to share his fortune.

Ferdinand D. Almy, executor of the estate, refuses to see interviewers. Others of the household told of "Fresno Dan's" trip to Worcester. They said he may be away several days. In fact, it was declared that it is not known when he will return.

Father Graham to Be Haverhill Rector

The following rectors were appointed today by Cardinal O'Connell:

Rev. John J. Graham of Bradford to be permanent rector at Haverhill in succession to the late Rev. Fr. O'Doherty.

Fr. Graham's successor at Bradford to be Rev. John F. Kelliher, now of Watertown.

Rev. Maurice Lynch of East Weymouth goes to Watertown.

Rev. William J. Foley of Cohasset is transferred to St. Joseph's, Lynn.

Rev. T. James Hurley of Lynn, is appointed to East Weymouth.

Rev. C. J. Herlihy becomes assistant at St. Anthony's, Cohasset.

Held for Break in His Father's Office

Albert Fitch, thirty, charged with breaking and entering, was held in $3,000 bonds in the Somerville Police Court today for his appearance Monday. In default of bail he was sent to jail. Patrolman Gott testified he found Fitch in the office of his father, of the firm of Albert Fitch & Company, No. 14 Villa avenue, West Somerville, early today, and that the front door had been battered down and the safe moved. Nothing had been taken. According to Gott, Fitch has threatened his father's life.

Women Hurt as Auto Crashes Into Wagon

Two women, who gave their names as Mrs. Cushing and Mrs. Moran of Boston, were cut and scratched by flying glass today when the automobile in which they were riding crashed head on with a farm wagon in City square, Quincy. The team was owned by B. F. Hodgkins. The machine number 27504 and is registered to Henry S. Milton of No. 97 Church street, Waltham.

Woman Loses $30 at Quincy Church Fair

A sensation was created in the congregation of Bethany Congregational Church, Quincy, through the announcement by Mrs. Charles W. Hayden, a widow, of Adams Shore, that she lost $30 in a handbag while helping at the annual fair of the Bethany Ladies' Union of the church, Tuesday. The police were notified.

ROLPH PRAISES HEARST

Mayor James Rolph, Jr., of San Francisco came to Boston today largely to study the Boston water supply in preparation for San Francisco's plans to bring their water from the Hetch Hetchy valley if President Wilson signs the bill passed by Congress.

Mayor Rolph praised William Randolph Hearst warmly for his share in giving the people of the country the facts about the Hetch Hetchy project, and in winning the bill's passage through Congress.

Besides the water supply, Mayor Rolph will here investigate the question of municipally helped opera, as that question is now agitating San Franciscans. He said:

The people of the East have been woefully misled in regard to the Hetch Hetchy project. William Randolph Hearst has done a remarkable work in San Francisco in helping to pass this bill. We do not intend to take a park belonging to the people. We simply want to dam up a valley that really belongs to the people of San Francisco.

We need the water. We are willing to spend $70,000,000 to carry it 134 miles to San Francisco. I believe President Wilson will sign the bill—and the victory is to be credited to William Randolph Hearst more than to any other one man.

In discussing his visit to Boston Mayor Rolph said:

I am extremely sorry to hear of Mayor Fitzgerald's illness, but I hope to be able to see him before I go.

I came here to study your water system—and shall visit all your reservoirs and plants while I am here. I came also to study the question of municipally aided opera houses. I vetoed November 29 a bill providing for a municipal opera house in San Francisco.

But that bill provided the city should give the land—stockholders should raise $850,000—and then the business should be administered by five representatives of the city and ten of the stockholders—so that the city would be outvoted two to one.

The stockholders also reserved to themselves and their families in perpetuity, the lodges, boxes and other select seats and only [illegible] seats were to be sold publicly.

That would throw the select seats into the hands of pawn brokers and speculators—and I vetoed the ordinance on that ground.

Wilson Threatened Again With Grip

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Threatened again with an attack of grip President Wilson cancelled his engagements today and suspended all executive business. He is suffering from a bad cold in the head and from a mild attack of laryngitis. Dr. Grayson is determined not to take any chances with his patient, and will insist on his stopping all work and out of door exercise until the grip is entirely eliminated from his system.

Mayor Improves; Had Another Good Night

At 12:30 today Dr. William Whitworth Gannett issued this bulletin on the condition of Mayor Fitzgerald:

"Mayor Fitzgerald had another good night's sleep and is resting comfortably today. I expect he will be able to sit up tomorrow."

King Chats with the Newspapermen

PARIS, Dec. 11.—King Alfonso of Spain is taking great interest in what the reporters write about his visit here. While walking today with two members of his staff he occasionally chatted pleasantly with several correspondents who had accompanied the party, and in one case himself revised the report, correcting some small details.

Geraghty's Right to Office Questioned

Jack Geraghty, who eloped and married Julia French at Newport three years ago, may not be allowed to serve as Alderman-at-large in Woburn, where he was elected Tuesday. The question of his eligibility is being investigated by F. W. Davis, Jr., an attorney. Geraghty, when he became a registered voter, had witnesses to testify that he had been a resident of Woburn six months. These witnesses are being questioned.

Schooner Disabled Off Chatham Shore

CHATHAM, Dec. 11.—The two-masted schooner Grace Darling from Hartford, Ct., to Parrsboro, N. S., anchored off here today with the mainmast sprung.

The revenue cutter Acushnet started to the vessel's assistance. Captain Eldredge and the crew of the Chatham lifesaving station went on board and found the boat seaworthy, but unable to make headway.

Carries Watch Fob of Aaron Burr

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 11.—William St. Paul Jasper, an aged Negro, temporarily detained in the office of the county jail here while friends adjusted a complaint against him, today told Warden Edward Lewis that a wonderful diamond watch fob he carried had once been the property of Aaron Burr.

Missing Lynn Wife Found in Providence

Mrs. Annie Spencer of No. 66 Johnson street, Lynn, who tried suicide a month ago, and disappeared last Monday, has been found at the home of a Providence cousin.

BATTLE RAGES AT SEAPORT

TAMPICO, Mexico, Dec. 11.—(By wireless to Vera Cruz)—Effective steps to guard the safety of Americans and other foreigners here during the fighting between the rebels and Federals were taken today by Rear-Admiral Fletcher, commander of the United States squadron.

A "zone of safety" for all foreigners was assigned under the guns of the American vessels, and Admiral Fletcher notified the leaders on both sides that fighting would not be allowed near the neutral territory or near valuable property.

"This order must be obeyed," was the mandate of the American comander. Both forces complied during Wednesday's fighting. The cruisers Chester and Tacoma took up their position in the river today with 150 marines from the heavy-draught warships aboard. They will be landed at the first sign of danger to foreigners.

All British and German citizens have fled from the city to boats in the harbor, except those compelled to remain on shore for business reasons.

The British citizens took refuge on the steamer [illegible], which is chartered by the British admiralty and manned by sailors from the British warship Suffolk.

The Germans went aboard the Hamburg-American liner Kron Prinzessin Cecilie. The attacking rebel force numbers about 4,000 men, and the Federals have 2,000.

FEDERALS BEATEN IN THREE BATTLES IN SOUTHERN MEXICO

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 11.—Rebel activity in Southern Mexico is rapidly increasing and three battles were reported today. Rebels destroyed the town of Jonotla, State of Puebla, killing thirty-one citizens.

A Federal force is reported to have been routed at Apulco, State of Hidalgo, with the loss of sixty men. A rebel force composed mainly of idle miners who have seized great quantities of dynamite in Hidalgo and Puebla, is moving on [illegible]. A rebel army from the State of Michoacan has entered Guanajuata.

Forty Federals are reported to have been killed and eighteen wounded near Salvatierra in a fight between rebels under General Fuente and government forces.

GRAND JURY HAS ALL "ARCADIA" TESTIMONY.

The taking of testimony in the Suffolk Grand Jury's probe into the Arcadia fire horror ended today. District Attorney Pelletier announced there would be no more witnesses unless new facts were received by him. The Grand Jury begins its deliberations on the evidence tomorrow.

WOMAN HELD AS SHOPLIFTER.

Annie Sullivan, 32, of Monument avenue, Charlestown, was arraigned today in Roxbury Court, charged with stealing $2 worth of merchandise from the store of Daniel P. Cass, 310 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury. She pleaded not guilty and was held in $300.

RUSH FOR $100,000 IN STATE HOUSE PLUMS.

The State House Santa Claus has about fifty jobs with salaries totaling $100,000 which are being sought by a small army of office hunters.

The Truth About Knowles

New and startling evidence of the REAL adventures in the woods of the Doctor Cook of the Maine Woods will be printed in

NEXT SUNDAY'S AMERICAN

ARCADIA FIRE PROBE RESUMED BY GRAND JURY

Eight witnesses, including Joseph O Lyons, proprietor of the Arcadia lodging house where twenty-eight lodgers lost their lives by fire and many others were injured last week, were called before the Suffolk Grand Jury today when that body resumed its special session investigation of the holocaust.

The witnesses were present by order of District Atorney Pelletier.

Medical witnesses included Medical Examiners T. J. Leary and George B. Magrath. The fire was in the former's official district. Dr. Leary was on the scene before the fire embers had died out. He went through the burned-out building, saw bodies of victims and noted the places where they perished and the means of egress. Dr. Magrath was also on the scene, assisting his colleague.

A witness whose arrival was a source of interest was George Kuntz, a painter, who worked on the Arcadia's interior structure shortly before the fire.

It has been reported since State Chemist Walter P. Wedger made his analysis of painting materials said to have been found on the premises that this paint was of an unusually combustible nature.

The grand jury made an examination the day of the fire. A report of its trip included the statement that pots of paint were found in two closets, also paint-soaked rags.

State Chemist Wedger was also before the Grand Jury.

Another State official was Deputy Chief George C. Neal, who is also State fire marshal. He conducted the fire inquest at the State House, following his own inspection of the premises. It was reported that he brought to the courthouse transcripts of the inquest testimony.

State Fire Inspectors Francis P. Hardiman and James J. Grady, who testified at the inquest, completed the list of Grand Jury witnesses for today.

Schooners Aground off Vineyard Haven

VINEYARD HAVEN, Dec. 11.—Two schooners lay aground at the head of this harbor early today. The American Team, South Amboy, for Castine, Me., with a cargo of coal, was beached in a sinking condition by the revenue cutter Acushnet to prevent sinking. A short distance away lay the James B. Drake, Philadelphia, for Portland, which was towed here from Nantucket minus both anchors.

LEADS NATION-WIDE WAR ON NEEDLE GANG

Mrs. Anna A. Gordon of the W. C. T. U., who will carry the crusade against the hyoscene-tipped needle, of which Jessie McCann is said to be a victim, to President Wilson. A Federal law is sought.

A nation-wide war, inaugurated through the sentiment of the horror at the movements of the "needle gang," is under way against the use of the hyoscine needle and the drugs known as woo-la-la and curare, both powerful South American poisons.

The W. C. T. U. has presented President Wilson resolutions declaring they have evidence of widespread operations by the "needle men," who as agents of white slave traffickers drug girls with a prick of a needle poisoned with woo-la-la, or curare, a South American poison, and then abduct them.

For the past two weeks the reports of attacks upon young women, and of mysterious disappearances for which no accounting can be made have reached such an extent that the officials are alarmed.

Stories Are Similar.

Of course, there are many cases of disappearance in which criminals had no part, and the police find that many crime theories in connection with such disappearances are not well founded; but the number of strange cases in which such criminal element is known to figure is so large that it is always taken as one of the possibilities in running down all of the angles to a reported disappearance.

The stories of the loss of daughters and of young wives that have come with such startling frequency during the past two weeks all have a striking similar beginning. They start with the fact that the girl left home just as usual; that there was no known reason for her disappearance, and that she "dropped out of sight" without the slightest clew being left.

How is it that a girl may thus disappear completely in the midst of a big city?

Where do they go?

Why?

Prey on Immigrants.

All of these questions have come forcibly home to the officials as they have gone over the rapidly increasing schedule of lost ones. Behind many of them they find the inky, criminal figure of the white slaver. The term covers a series of offences rather than a particular type. It takes in the men who haunt the foreign districts to prey upon newly arrived immigrant girls, who seek recruits for known resorts where men prey upon the necessities, the ignorance and the helplessness of women.

That is its lowest form.

By a graduated scale the offences go to the man who uses the insidious poisoned needle to render a woman of better station mentally and physically helpless, so that the slaver may take her away under the guise of doing a friendly act. A score of other forms of offences are included in the general head, all of which, by varying methods, are intended to reach the same result.

The federal authorities have but recently come to the aid of the local police in this matter. Acting under the Mann act, which makes it a criminal offence to take a woman from one State to another for improper purposes, the federal Department of Justice is now aiding the police in stamping out the white slave element, and special agents are now at work in New York trying to get evidence that will result in convictions of the men chiefly responsible for the many crimes.

MRS. STEVENS READY TO HEAD AN EGG RIOT

Mrs. Susan E. Stevens, treasurer of the Woman's Homestead Association, believes the way to smash the price of eggs is to smash the storage warehouses. She urged today the adoption of militant methods by the United Housekeepers' League which was organized at a meeting at No. 262 Washington street, yesterday.

Eggs today—the best ones—cost 60 cents a dozen!

Mrs. Stevens spoke at the meeting yesterday, but her ideas were not adopted by the league.

Under the leadership of Mrs. Edward P. Barry, wife of the Lieutenant-Governor-elect, and Mrs. Anna T. Steinauer, president of the Housekeepers' League, a plan was formed for an "endless chain" boycott, carried on by postal card and personal call.

"Two-cent eggs or none," was the slogan adopted.

Ordinary Eggs at Fifty-five.

Mere fresh eggs today sell at fifty-five cents a dozen, five cents less than "strictly fresh."

Mrs. Stevens—who is a real estate dealer herself—is ready for an "egg riot" to bring the storage men to their knees. She is ready to lead an attack on the storage warehouses, and to carry out the boycott with something stronger.

A nondescript egg sells today at forty-seven cents! The storage article may be had at thirty-eight cents. Says Mrs. Stevens:

Does Not Approve Boycott.

"To boycott eggs will do no good. It will only injure the health of many people dependent upon eggs for nourishment. They say you can make cakes without eggs. But you can't have soft-boiled or dropped or scrambled or fried eggs without eggs.

"That is why the dealers are smiling at the boycotters today. Let's do something to make them groan.

"The only way to bring the trust to terms is to adopt militant methods. We must seize the cold storage plants. It is only some such strenuous measures that will make the selfish dealers nervous. The politicans will not help. The newspapers help some—but the women themselves must do the real work.

"Why not have an egg riot. Let's do something out of the beaten path. Make the dealers treat us housekeepers fairly, so that we can live on our incomes.

"If they drive us to be revolutionists—why then let us have revolution."

U. S. Aids Little Red Hen to Lay

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—How the Department of Agriculture is fighting high prices of eggs, was told to a House committee by Dr. Rommel, chief of the animal industry division. While the department, he said, is experimenting to increase the "egg-laying capacity of the American hen," boys' and girls' poultry clubs are being organized throughout the States, to foster poultry breeding and egg production.

66 Per Cent. Advance in Eggs in 7 Years

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Fresh eggs have advanced in price at New York 66 per cent. in the last seven years, according to figures made public by the United States Bureau of Labor.

LATE NEWS BY CABLE

Revue for Paris Opera House.

PARIS, Dec. 11.—The Theatre des Champs Elysees, the opera house built with money advanced largely by W. K. Vanderbilt, Otto H. Kahn and James Hazen Hyde, is about to share the same fate as Hammerstein's London venture. It was announced that Paul Franck and Rene Quinson had leased the theatre and would stage a spectacular revue there next month.

Woman "Not a Person."

LONDON, Dec. 11.—The appeal of Miss Gwyneth Marjorie Bebb from the decision of the Incorporated Law Society barring her from admission to the bar because of her sex was rejected by the High Court on the grounds that a woman is not a "person within the meaning of the solicitors' act of 1843."

Princess Honors Coachman

THE HAGUE, Dec. 11.—Princess Juliana, heir to the throne of Holland, took the first step in the apprenticeship to the functions to which she was born by conferring the Order of the House of Orange on a coachman who has been in the service of the royal family for twenty-five years.

Chanler Still in Hospital.

PARIS, Dec. 11.—William Astor Chanler of New York must remain in the American Hospital at Neuilly-sur-Seine, just outside the city, for two weeks as a result of the injury to his foot which he suffered several days ago.

Reject Caruso Case Appeal.

ROME, Dec. 11.—The Court of Appeals today rejected the appeal of Mme. Ada Giachetti, the prima donna who was sentenced to a year's imprisonment for slandering Enrico Caruso, the famous tenor.

Stanley Houghton Dead.

MANCHESTER, Eng., Dec. 11.—Stanley Houghton, well known English playwright and author of "The Younger Generation," died at his home here today.

RAP PRESIDENT FOR POLITICS IN NAMING ENVOYS

Severe criticism of President Wilson in regard to many diplomatic appointments was a feature of the annual report of the National Civil Service Reform League, which was read by Henry W. Harden at the thirty-third annual meeting of the league at the Hotel Vendome today.

The report said in part:

"The one great regret we have to express is that in the nomination of ministers abroad the President has in many places displaced experienced, trained diplomats with men of no experience, in some cases apparently distributing these posts as political rewards. It is evident that we are far from having established a merit tradition for this part of our foreign service, but the favorable criticism so widely made of several of the diplomatic appointments indicates the growing interest of the people in the complete reclamation of the foreign service from the taint of partisan politics. It is especially encouraging that business men and business organizations have shown a lively interest in the matter, which so vitally affects the entire nation."

The report also declared that deputy collectorships and marshalships that have been on a competitive basis since 1907 are again political plums.

Boston Third for High Egg Prices

Reports from the government compilation on November 15 of the prices for "strictly fresh" eggs in fifty-nine cities of the country show that Boston was third from the top with a high price of sixty-seven cents a dozen on that date. New York and Newark, N. J., led the list at seventy-five cents.

The highest and lowest quotations for eggs in the chief cities on November 15 were:

City.	High.	Low.
New York	75	40
Newark	75	60
Boston	67	55
Providence	60	60
Los Angeles	65	55
Fall River	62	54

Boston "high" and "low" on November 15 for each of the last seven years were: 1907, 60 and 28; 1908, 55 and 32; 1909, 48 and 45; 1910, 56 and 33; 1911, 60 and 40; 1912, 65 and 48; 1913, 67 and 55.

Big Central Bank Urged by Burton

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The creation of a great central bank rather than adoption of the regional system was strongly urged by Senator Burton during debate on the currency bill in the Senate today.

Senator Burton declared that a central bank would be so strong that its note issues need not be guaranteed by the government. He declared that mobilization of reserves could be perfectly accomplished only by a central bank.

He described as a peril the proposal to put the credit of the government back of the proposed note issue.

Melvin M. Johnson Honored by Masons

Melvin M. Johnson is today being congratulated on his unanimous election as grand master of the Grand Lodge of Masons. Mr. Johnson, in accepting the honor, declared he was profoundly grateful that he had been selected to occupy the chair so ably filled by many beloved of the craft.

NEW HAVEN AT NEW LOW IN SELLING RUSH

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the first five minutes saw 991 shares of stock sold. As short a time ago as 1910, these shares would have brought about $130,000. Today they brought less than $70,000—a loss of $60,000 in value. In New York, 5,800 shares went in the first five minutes, selling down to $67.37½ per share—a new low record for what was the richest railroad stock in the country.

It is the stockholders who suffer. And here are some figures as to who those stockholders are.

They number 28,968.

Eleven thousand of them are women!

Thirty-five hundred of them are trustees—holding the stock for women and children!

Eight thousand are men!

Eleven thousand of these stockholders live right here in Massachusetts.

And here are some figures to show just what the passed dividend means to Massachusetts.

The eleven thousand stockholders in this State own about 600,000 shares of stock. Last year, the 2 per cent. quarterly dividends meant that $1,200,000 was paid to Massachusetts people. They hoped for a 1 per cent. dividend this quarter. That would have meant $600,000. They got—nothing!

The passed dividend meant a loss of $600,000 to the people of Massachusetts.

Where Loss Falls.

This loss fell on women share holders—on trustees holding stock for minors and women. It fell—directly or indirectly—on YOU!

Regarding those savings bank investments!

The savings banks may invest in bonds of railroads, the stock of which has paid 4 per cent. during each of the five preceding fiscal years of the company's life.

The New Haven's fiscal year began July 1. During the present year 1½ per cent. has been paid. If the road fails to pay the remaining 2½ per cent. to total 4 per cent. before next July, the bonds become ineligible as savings bank investments.

BONDS ARE LEGAL FOR SAVINGS BANKS UNTIL JULY 1, 1914

Augustus L. Thorndike, savings bank commissioner, said today:

"Bonds of the New Haven may be still held by savings banks, even though the railroad has passed the dividend. And if the railroad does not meet the requirements of the statute relating to the dividends for the fiscal year of the road then a savings bank may not make a further purchase of such bonds until it again meets its dividend requirements, provided that time does not exceed two successive fiscal years.

"The issue of 6 per cent. convertibles (when issued) is included in the list of New Haven bonds which savings banks of this State may lawfully buy.

"Under the savings banks statute the New Haven must pay at least 4 per cent. dividends for five preceding years. Now, though the dividend is passed, purchase of the bonds will not be automatically rendered non-legal until the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, has passed."

INTERSTATE FIXES NEW COMMUTATION RATES ON NEW HAVEN

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today ordered the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to desist on or before January 15, and for two years thereafter, from "charging, demanding, collecting or receiving" its present commutation fares for transportation of passengers from and to suburban points in Connecticut and New York City. The commission further required the road to file upon five days' notice certain commutation fares or tickets for sixty trips to New York and return not to exceed the following:

From Greenwich, Ct., $8.65; Coscob, $9.15; Riverside, $9.25; Sound Beach, $9.65, and Stamford, $10.25.

MRS. FLORENCE M. SANBORN, vaudeville singer and former society leader in Natick, who seeks to annul divorce obtained by her husband.

Knowles' Beard Gone; His Face Now BARE

Joseph Knowles, who claimed to have lived "like a primitive man" in Maine, is back in Boston from a trip to Prince Edward Island. He has been shorn of the beard he wore when he emerged from the woods.

Patriotic Songs at Williams.

WILLIAMSTOWN, Dec. 11.—Patriotic songs will be sung at meetings of Williams College students hereafter, as well as the usual college songs, almost by unanimous vote of the undergraduates.

MRS. SANBORN ASKS COURT TO ANNUL DIVORCE

An order of notice returnable January 5 has been granted to Mrs. Florence M. Sanborn, vaudeville singer and former society leader of Natick, on her petition to have her divorce from Robert C. Sanborn, obtained by him in 1911, annulled.

The action is said to be unique in legal history of Massachusetts. Mrs. Sanborn did not contest the divorce suit, which was obtained on the grounds of desertion.

Mrs. Sanborn claims she was unaware of the divorce proceedings at the time: that she then had no money with which to make a contest if she had known of them. She also claims her husband gave her wrong information with regard to the court's ruling about the custody of their seven-year-old child, Robert W. Sanborn. The child is now with its mother.

This Fall a hearing was scheduled at which Mrs. Sanborn petitioned for an allowance from her former husband. At the conclusion of a lawyers' conference the hearing was abandoned. It was afterward said that an agreement had been reached whereby Mrs. Sanborn was to be allowed $50 per week and retain custody of the child.

Mrs. Sanborn will be remembered by many because of the part she played in the elopement of the wealthy Helen Beryl Whitney with Thomas H. Graydon, the star Harvard fullback of '01 and '02, she and Miss Whitney having been exiled from a New York boarding school.

Sharp Tilt in Shoe Machinery Trial

President Sidney W. Winslow of the United Shoe Machinery Company resumed the witness stand today at the opening of the government's suit against the corporation. Under cross-examination of Counsel Fowler for the government it was brought out that company developed the pulling over system. A sharp discussion arose when Counsel Fowler asked President Winslow the actual cost of construction of a welting machine. Counsel Choate for the company objected. The Court decided against the government's counsel.

Filene's Automatic Bargain BASEMENT

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—had better know the Automatic Christmas tree.
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Sterling Silver Bar Pins, heavy designs in polished and engraved patterns. Also Collar Pins at same price....... 35c

Novelty Hair Ornaments, for evening wear, feather and silk flower combinations, in various colors........ 19c

10k Gold Signet Rings, for boys and girls, chased designs. English finish......... $1.45

Thousands of Christmas Handkerchiefs

In Novelty Burnt Wood Boxes . . .

For women and men. Pure linen, initial style. Box of Six $1

Women's Lawn Initial Handkerchiefs, embroidered on one corner, self-colored border. Box of Six 39c

Children's Handkerchiefs, with embroidered initial and narrow hem. Box of Three 12c

Little Wonder Talking Machine $3.75

The Little Machine With a Littler Price. Is complete with horn. Records 38c with two selections on each. Notwithstanding the low price, as usual, every machine is warranted. Walk through and hear them.

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Many Kinds—Many Prices All Bargains—All New

For 25c

Sleeping Bisque Dolls in plain, fancy or quaint costumes. Romper dolls and kid dolls.

For 50c

Undressed kid, celluloid or bisque dolls. Rag, character dressed dolls. Crying, sleeping, baby, boy or girl dolls.

Other Dolls From 17c to $4.95

GLOVES

We Are Selling Similar Lots Quickly. Come Early!

Misses' and Children's Gauntlet Gloves, heather or oxford mixed wool.. 25c

Women's Sample Gloves, tan, gray and white capes, mocha and gray suede. All first quality....... 79c

Always Hundreds of Other Bargain Lots

The Suffragette MAKES A HIT

A Twentieth Century Cracker

Latest addition to the family of

EDUCATOR CRACKERS

Buy it at your grocer's in ten-cent packages.

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WILL you select your Christmas neckwear gifts where selecting is a pleasure, and where thousands of possibilities abound, where you have a range that is unequalled in the city and where prices are a little less in each instance?

We know Men's needs—we have learned Men's fancies—we feature neckwear as no other store in Boston

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Ideal Gifts

These Robes & Gowns

Of Cotton Blanket, $2.75 to $6.75.

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Terry Cloth, $3.50 and $5.50.

Boys' Blanket and Terry Robes, $3.50 and $5.

Women's and Men's Bath Robes, $2.75 to $8.50.

Ask for our Suggestion List of useful Xmas gifts for the entire family.

"Christmas is close at hand."—Dickens in "Pickwick Papers."

What BETTER gifts than HOUSE COATS!

An arm chair—slippers—a house coat—and solid comfort! You give comfort to some man with a Shuman House Coat:

Jap quilted (just imported).........$6

Cloth, doubled faced, $5 to $15

Velvets, plain colors, $18

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On display with other furnishings in the Xmas Dickens Booths at

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No earthly excuse for your rooms being vacant. Every day changes take place and people look for new and desirable quarters. They look in the Boston American "Want Ad" columns, of course! They won't know about YOUR vacant rooms unless your ad's there. SEE to it.

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'EARN HONEST MILLION IN 33 YEARS'--BRYAN

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—"It is possible for a man really to earn $30,000 a year for a lifetime of 33 1-3 working years, or a million dollars in a lifetime," declared Secretary of State William J. Bryan, speaking before the clerical conference of the New York Federation of Churches.

"Man does not work alone," Mr. Bryan continued; "he works in conjunction with others, and therefore an intelligent man should realize his relations to society.

"How much can a man honestly collect from society? Only a sum that barely measures the services he renders to society. And an honest man will not desire to collect more than he honestly earns."

Comparing the wealth of the richest American, which he estimated at $500,000,000, Secretary Bryan declared his belief that Thomas Jefferson and Abraham Lincoln rendered services to the world that were worth immeasurably more than that. What the world needs, he added, is not men who amass money to give it away when they die, but men who will give themselves to society.

Chamber Glee Club Made Fixed Feature

Boston Chamber of Commerce has decided to make the Chamber Glee Club a fixed factor among its working forces. Officers of the Chamber today announced that the permanency of the glee club has been insured by approving action of the members of the body. The newly organized club will make its first public appearance at the Chamber's annual dinner to be held next Tuesday night at the Copley-Plaza Hotel.

Contessa del Sera Dines Astor Fiancee

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—The Conte and Contessa Emilio del Sera gave a dinner and dance at their home, No. 10 West Fifty-third street, New York City, for Miss Helen Dinsmore Huntington and her fiance, Vincent Astor. The Contessa del Sera was before her marriage, which took place in England in July, Mrs. Eben Wright, long a Summer resident of Nahant.

Philippine Heads Threaten to Quit

MANILA, Dec. 11.—Many officials of the Philippine government threaten to hand in their resignations in consequence of the passage by the Assembly of an appropriation bill by which economies amounting to $2,000,000 in the government's expenditures are effected chiefly by the reduction of salaries.

500 at 'Safety First' Meeting in Maine

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 11.—A meeting in the interest of the "Safety First" railroad movement was attended by about 500 railroad men from Maine and New Hampshire. The speakers were J. T. Tyter, general superintendent of the Boston & Maine, and Secretary Watson of the "Safety First" movement.

SERIOUS CATARRH YIELDS TO HYOMEI

Do not let this serious disease extend along the delicate mucous membrane, gradually going from the nose to the throat, thence into the bronchial tubes and downward into the lungs.

There is no other treatment for catarrh that is like Hyomei or just as good. None can take its place, none give such quick, effective and sure relief and at so little cost—furthermore your money will be returned if you are not satisfied.

Begin using Hyomei now—today—and see how quickly the droppings into the throat, the discharge from the nose, sniffling and all other symptoms of catarrh are overcome; and remember—no stomach drugging—you breathe it. The complete outfit, containing inhaler and bottle of liquid, costs but $1.00. Extra bottles of liquid, if later needed, 50 cents.

ALMANACH DE GOTHA SNUBS DUCHESS, WHO WAS MISS LEISHMAN

The Duchess of Croy is not expected to be regarded with favor at court in view of the printed declaration she is not of as good birth as the Duke.

BERLIN, Dec. 11.—The former Miss Nancy Leishman, now the Duchess of Croy, is officially stamped as not of equal birth with the Duke in the new edition of the Almanach de Gotha. The Duke, by the way, occupies nearly two pages of the book.

The statement in the Almanach is construed as official notice that the Duchess will not be received as such in the various royal courts of Germany.

Blacksmith to Sing Opera.

CASSEL, Germany, Dec. 11.—Franz Bachmann, a blacksmith who still works at his forge, has been chosen to fill the leading bass role in "The Magic Flute," to be given at the Court Opera House.

Peters Fights for Pure Cloth Bill

Congressman Peters at Washington is urging a measure providing for the branding and labeling of all cloths knit fabrics and manufactures of every description made wholly or in part of wool. When "shoddy" the materials are to carry a "generally accurate" description of their component substances, as Mr. Peters expresses it.

Pearson Says He Will Keep Position

Adjutant-General Gardner W. Pearson, active head of the State militia, speaking of his rumored resignation, said: "I will not resign under any circumstances." I have not had as yet any intimation from Governor-elect Walsh that he intends to seek my removal or ask for my resignation."

Drag Charles for Body of Mrs. Colby

The Newton police again today dragged the Charles River near Kendrick's bridge, in their search for Mrs. Annie E. Colby, the wealthy Brookline widow who has been missing nearly a week from the Newton Sanatorium, of which she was a voluntary inmate.

$20,000 in Gems Taken from Car

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—The police today began the search of pawn shops for jewelry valued at $20,000, stolen two weeks ago from an express car enroute to New York. It was shipped from Memphis to Moskowitz Brothers, Manhattan. There were 394 diamonds, and 492 pearls in the parcel.

HONK! HONK! LOOK OUT
For those bargains in the "Used Cars" columns of the Boston Evening and Sunday AMERICAN. Own an automobile of your own.

CURE LOVE WITH SERUM IS CLAIM OF DR. FLEURY

LONDON, Dec. 11.—Love, passionate, consuming love, which tortures and disables its victim, is curable by segregation and a new serum. This is the discovery of Dr. Maurice de Fleury, the famous "brainstorm" specialist.

Dr. de Fleury declares that to be in love, whether passionately or platonically, is a form of mental poisoning comparable to physical intoxication. By means of delicate electrical instruments which "record every infinitesimal movement of the nervous system," Dr. de Fleury said he has obtained charts of the conditions of sufferers from this passional intoxication and found how to treat it.

He puts love in the fifth category of enslaving poisons, which he arranges according to severity as follows:

1—Alcohol.
2—Opium and hasheesh.
3—Morphine, cocaine and ether.
4—Tobacco.
5—Love.

In the course of his experiments Dr. de Fleury traced the curve of love fever as clearly as that of typhoid may be traced and charted in its phases. He prescribes graduated isolation and a wonderful serum, which he does not describe.

Pays Up $25,000 in Outlawed Debts

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 11.—Charles W. Chamberlain, who failed in business in Barry County twenty years ago, has just finished paying more than $25,000 in debts that had been outlawed.

Mistook Mercury for Medicine; Dies

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Selden Hicks, a civil engineer, a graduate of Columbia University, class of 1911, is dead in the Flushing Hospital from bichloride of mercury poisoning. His father said that the young man took what he supposed was a dose of medicine in a glass of hot water.

EVERY MAN
Can purchase a suit, coat or any other wearing apparel from us for one dollar per week as cheaply as he could buy elsewhere for cash. No charge for alterations, no interest and no publicity. No payments demanded if sick or out of employment. Every garment is manufactured under our own supervision and guaranteed to give satisfaction to the wearer.
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2.95 4.95 7.50
All silk and silk-lined; included are about two hundred in sizes for children
VESTS JAPANESE SILK QUILTED, SLEEVELESS 95c
Usually sold at $1.25 and $1.50
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CITY OF BOSTON
1913
Registration of Voters

Will be held in various Ward Registration Places,

Dec. 12 to Dec. 23, inclusive, from 6 P.M. to 10 P.M.

and at Principal Office, 100 Summer Street,

Dec. 12 to Dec. 24, inclusive, from 9 A.M. to 10 P.M.
(CONTINUOUSLY)

Registration Closes Dec. 24, at 10 P. M.

The registration place in Ward 5 has been changed from Old City Hall, City sq., to booth, Union St., near Main St.
No registration Sundays.

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Are facts familiar to thousands of New England Shoppers who have made this store their headquarters for three generations. In every line of goods pertaining distinctly to Christmas our leadership has long been unchallenged, and in no better way, perhaps, are the benefits of our famous low cash prices more strikingly presented than in our
Friday Three-Hour Sales
Bring boys and girls to see OUR GIANT ELECTRICAL SANTA CLAUS—The Biggest in the World—See him any day on our Building from 4:30 to 5:30 P.M. Saturday from 4:30 to 10 P. M.

On Sale From 9 to 12 A. M. Only

Women's $1 Silk Hosiery 58c — Black thread silk, fashioned, high spliced heels, double lisle soles and toes, elastic garter top, slight irregulars. At 58c per pair. Street Floor

Boys' 50c Gloves 29c — Leather Gauntlet and Cowboy Gloves, slightly imperfect, in black and brown. At 29c. Street Floor
Initial Handkerchiefs, 6 for 28c — Also one corner embroidered effects for women. At 6 for 28c. Street Floor
Women's 39c Hosiery 25c — Black silk lisle, fashioned, medium weight, high spliced heels, reinforced with linen, four-in garter welt. At 25c per pair. Street Floor
50c and 59c Underwear 39c — Women's fine lisle vests, Swiss ribbed, low neck, sleeveless, hand crochet yokes, broken lines, regular and extra sizes, also fleece lined jersey cotton vests, long sleeves, sizes 5 and 6. At 39c each. Street Floor
Women's 49c Overgaiters 25c — Extra high, 10-button cloth style. At 25c per pair. Street Floor
Men's 85c Underwear 54c — Heavy lambsdown fleece lining shirts and drawers, very warm and durable. At 54c per garment. Street Floor
$1.00 Combination Sets 58c — Safety razor, silk handkerchief and tie combination, in very attractive holiday boxes. Sold only by us. At 58c per set. Street Floor
$4.00 Bath Robes and Slippers 2.98 — Men's Eiderdown Bath Robes, with cord and tassel, also a pair of slippers to match. An excellent Holiday gift. At $2.98. Street Floor
$2 All Wool Sweaters 1.19 — Ladies' and Misses' fancy stitch, new designs with Byron collars, long, close fitting models in cardinal, gray and white. No mail or C. O. D. orders. Third Floor
8c Domet Flannel 5c — Bleached, 25 in. wide, a nice flannel for children's wear. We offer this at less than we can buy same. At 5c per yard. Street Floor
$1.50 Ready-to-Wear Veils 95c — High grade quality chiffon, 2⅝ yards long, hemstitched in white and all the leading colors, at 95c. Street Floor
25c Table Oil Cloths 15c — These are all called manufacturers' seconds, the imperfections are very slight, 1¼ yards wide. At 15c per yard. Street Floor
39c Corset Covers 29c — 10 styles to choose from, elaborate lace and embroidered yoke, back and front, French style; all sizes. Holly boxes if wanted. Third Floor
50c Bungalow Aprons 39c — Made of percale in blue and gray and white stripes, full size and length, neat yoke. Third Floor
79c Flannelette Gowns 59c — In solid white and stripes, double yoke, silk braid, full size, values up to 79c. Third Floor
Children's $1.25 Sweaters 79c — All wool red Sweaters, slightly imperfect; sizes 4 to 10 years. Third Floor
Women's 25c Hosiery 19c — Cashmere, in oxford wool ribbed, reinforced heels and toes. At 19c per pair. Street Floor
$3.00 to $15.00 Mattresses 1.75 to 9.98 — About 60 odd sample mattresses that are slightly soiled and damaged to be sold at cost, and in some cases less than cost. Every sale final and no exchanges. At prices from $1.75 to $9.98. No Mail or Telephone Orders. Fifth Floor
BASEMENT
$1.49 Flash Lamps—Miners' pattern, two cell battery. At 98c
63c Gas Burners—Inverted pattern, opalescent globe, [illegible] mantle. At 48c
15c Inverted Mantles—Ramie fibre. At 9c
49c Cobblers' Kit—Stand with three lasts, hammer, awls, etc. At 39c
24c Soap Dishes—Slab pattern, nickel on brass, footed. At 19c
[illegible] Hatchets—Shingling and other kinds. At 29c
98c Water Kettles—Nickel on copper, No. 7 size. Rome first quality. 79c

SMALLWARES
Manicure Sets—A Pyraline tray with five other pieces. Set consists of Scissors, Buffer, Powder Box, Nail File and Nail Enamel. All for 48c
98c Shaving Mirrors—A magnifying and plain mirror on a metal stand. At only 56c
Men's Garter Combination—An Arm Band and Garter combined to match in color. For three hours at 48c
50c Scissors—On account of the change in tariff we are enabled to sell Manicure, Embroidery or Sewing Scissors at 24c
Street Floor
15c Xmas Stationery 8c — Box containing 24 sheets and envelopes to match, in fancy cover paper boxes. At 8c per box. Second Floor
75c Books for Young Folks 48c — "Kiddie Rhymes" by Margaret G. Hays, with pictures in colors by Grace G. Wiederseim. At 48c. Second Floor
$4.00 Marabout Muffs 2.89 — Ten strand satin lined, in natural and black. An unusually good value at $2.89. Third Floor
$2.98 Coney Muffs for 2.35 — Belgian Coney Muffs in brown and black, lined with satin, pillow shape.
$5.98 Sport Coats 3.89 — In pretty mixtures and plain colors, five different styles to select from, patch pockets and fancy buttons, sizes to 38 only. Third Floor
$7.00 Chiffoniers for 4.98 — Solid oak Chiffoniers, well made, with large drop drawers and wood knobs. Two or three different patterns to select from. At $4.98 each. Fifth Floor
98c Flannel Waists 59c — In gray, with different colored stripes, both low and high neck with long sleeves. Just the thing for this cold snappy weather. Third Floor
$1.49 House Dresses 69c — Baldwin's double service House Dresses, of percale, in chambord checks, sizes 32 and 34 only. Third Floor
49c Dressing Sacques 29c — Dressing Sacques of flannelette, in dark shades and various patterns, made with fitted back and belt. Third Floor
Boys' $1.00 and $1.25 Sweaters 79c — Heavy weight wool and worsted mixed Sweater Coats with V neck and also Byron collars. At 79c. Street Floor
Children's $1.98 Coats 1 65 — Children's all wool Para Cloth Coats, in all colors and trimmed with silk braid, sizes 2 to 6 years. Third Floor
25c Ribbon Remnants 15c — Five inches wide, all silk, pretty rose pattern in blue, pink, yellow and lavender on light and dark grounds, with satin edges for fancy bags, coat hangers, pin cushions and fancy work of all kinds. At 15c per yard. Street Floor
Children's 75c Underwear 59c — Plain woolen merino shirts, pants and drawers, mostly gray, but broken lines. At 59c each. Street Floor
$2.75 Marabout Capes 1 89 — Five strand with long chenille tassel ends, in natural and black. At $1.89. Third Floor
$1.48 Desk Sets for 98c — With inkwell, paper cutter, pen tray and roll blotter, pad size 12x17 inches with brass corners. At 98c. Second Floor
Women's 25c Underwear 18c — Bleached cotton vests, fine ribbed, long sleeves, medium weight, sizes 4, 5 and 6. At 18c each. 3 for 50c. Street Floor
25c Xmas Calendars 15c — The favorite calendar used for gifts. Size 4x5 inches, every design in gold and colors, 30 pages of selections by well-known authors. At 15c. Second Floor

Boys' 50c Hockey Hats 29c — Made in plain and combination colors, best quality Fleischmann's all-wool yarns. Third Floor
$8.50 and $10 Overcoats 5.98 — Made convertible collar style and full length, all-wool, very stylish materials; sizes 10 to 20 years. Third Floor
69c House Dress Aprons 49c — Of percale, button side, neat yoke of chambray, full size and length. Third Floor
10c Curtain Lace for 5c — 12 to 18 inches wide, for door panels and sash curtains, etc. For three hours only, 5c per yard. Fourth Floor
19c Curtain Scrim 12c — With colored borders and allover patterns; makes pretty Dutch and sash curtains. For three hours only, 12c. Fourth Floor
Curtain Rods, at only 9c — Brass extension tubes with curved ends, suitable for hanging all styles of lace and scrim curtains. At 9c each. Fourth Floor
$1.50 Oak Tables 98c — All solid oak tables, with choice of either 18 or 20-inch square top. Very strongly built with turned legs and shelf. At only 98c. Fifth Floor
Women's 59c Rubbers 29c — A mixed lot in about all sizes. At 29c per pair. Street Floor
Children's 50c Hats 29c — Odd lot of Children's Hats, slightly soiled, all prettily trimmed, at 29c. Third Floor
$1.50 Gilt Mantel Clocks 95c — 8 and 12 inches high, handsome designs, warranted good timekeeper. At 95c. Street Floor
PICTURES
20c Frames—Gilt with ornamented corners with mat and glass. At [illegible]
50c Frames—Oval gilt ornamented corners with glass and back. At 19c
$2.98 Pictures—Framed in ornamented gilt frames. At 1.98
87c Mirrors—Plate mirrors, size 10x15, in white enamel frames. At 69c
Sixth Floor
GROCERIES
10c Grape Jelly—Hitter's Pure Grape Jelly, at 2 tumblers 15c
35c Limes—Pickled Limes at 25c a quart jar [illegible]
10c Marmalade—Pinter's Pure Orange Marmalade, at 2 jars 15c
30c Coffee—Fancy Mulberry Coffee, at 20c per pound 20c
25c Cocoa—Van Houten's Dutch Cocoa at 20c a can 20c
25c Sardines—Phillips & Canaud's Imported French Sardines, at 20c a can 20c
18c Kippered Herring—Smith's Imported Scotch Kippered Herring at 13c a tin 13c
10c Mince Meat—Grandmother's Mince Meat, at 2 pkgs 15c
10c Pearline—At 2 pkgs 15c
5c Soap—Lifebuoy Healthy Soap, at 5 bars 19c
10c Dri Monia—Dry concentrated Ammonia, at 7c per package 7c
Second Floor
HOOD'S MODEL CREAMERY
32c Butter—Cut from tub, pound 30c
34c Selected Eggs—Per dozen 30c
21c Rich Mild Cheese—Pound 19c
Hood's 10c American Dairy Cheese—Per pkg 8c
Second Floor
FRUITS
50c Shelled Walnuts—Per pound 39c
75c Shelled Pecans—Per pound 55c
23c Sweet Navel Oranges—Per dozen 17c
$3.25 Sweet Florida Oranges—216 in a box. At, per box 2.50
$1.00 Grape Fruits—Per doz 60c
Second Floor
FISH
Fresh Eastern Halibut—Pound 12½c
Fresh Red Salmon—Per pound 15c
Fresh Medium Mackerel 3 for 25c
Fresh Sword Fish—Per pound 8c
New Smoked Finnan Haddie—Pound 10c
Navel End and Flanks Corned Beef—lb 10c

On Sale From 2 to 5 P. M. Only

$7.50 Dining Table 4.98 — A six-foot extension table, all oak, with 42-inch top and heavy turned legs. Exceptionally well made and nicely finished. At $4.98 each. Fifth Floor

Leather School Bags 2.29 — Made of genuine soft finish cowhide leather, in dark brown, hand sewed on steel frame, sizes 13 and 14 inches. At $2.29. Street Floor
$5.00 Toilet Sets 4.25 — Three pieces, silver plated, consisting of Mirror, Comb and Brush. Choice of 12 different styles in French gray and polished [illegible]. At $4.25. Street Floor
10c Bleached Cotton 6½c — Full 36 inches wide, white, fine, all perfect, a very good quality. At 6½c per yard. Street Floor
$1.25 Warm Blankets 97c — Large size, make splendid warm sheets for cold winter nights. We have them in gray, tan or white. At 97c per pair. Street Floor
$3.50 Table Cloths 2.69 — All linen, size 72x72 in., [illegible] the famous John S. Brown & Sons of Belfast, Ireland. At $2.69. Street Floor
Men's 75c Handkerchiefs, 6 for 55c — Initial Handkerchiefs, [illegible]. At 55c. Street Floor
PICTURES
$1.98 Carbons—Genuine Carbons in Circassian walnut finished frames. At 1.49
$1.98 Pastels—Also landscapes, framed in gilt and gold burnished frames. At 1.29
50c Frames—Warranted gold plated metal photo frames. At 35c
50c Pictures—"The Greatest Moments of a Girl's Life" in circular, framed. At 19c
Sixth Floor
GROCERIES
5c Soap—Goodwill Soap, at 10 bars 36c
12c Golden Tree Mustard—At a jar 8c
18c Prunes—Fancy Santa Clara Prunes, at 14c per pound 14c
18c Bacon—Armour's Star Brand Sliced Bacon, at 15c a glass jar 15c
10c Tomato Soup—Van Camp's Tomato Soup, at 7c a can 7c
12c Raisins—Loose Muscatel Raisins, at 9c per pound 9c
25c Jam—Imported raspberry or strawberry jam at 20c
15c Wheat Food—Ralston Wheat Food at 11c per package 11c
20c Cherries—White or red cherries at 14c per can 14c
15c Pop Corn—Pop corn on the ear at 12c per package 12c
10c Cracker Combination—Cheese wafers, [illegible] at 7c per pkg 7c
10c Macaroni—[illegible] at 2 pkgs. 15c
Second Floor
HOOD'S MODEL CREAMERY
34c Selected Eggs, per dozen 30c
12c Peanut Butter, in bulk, lb. 10c
23c Young American Cheese, lb. 21c
Hood's 5c Neufchatel Cheese, per pkg. 4c
Second Floor
FRUITS
50c Shelled Walnuts—Per pound 39c
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Second Floor
MEATS
Tender Rib Steak—Boneless, lb. 18c
Genuine Spring Lamb, Short Legs 18c
Winter Lamb Chops, Rib, lb. 18c
Winter Lamb Kidney Chops—lb. 23c
First Cut Prime Beef to Roast lb. 15c
Second Cut Prime Beef to Roast—lb. 12½c
Fresh Killed Fowl—lb. 18c
Ox Tongue (Corned)—lb. 15c
Fresh Pigs' Livers—Per lb. 5c
Fresh Ox Tails 3 for 25c
Home Made German style Frankforts 2 lbs. 25c

SMALLWARES
50c Arm Bands—With ribbon bow, in fancy Xmas box. For three hours, at 21c
Manicure Sets—A Manicure set on a card, consisting of three pieces, nail file, cuticle stick and emery board. All for 8c
50c Pipes—A 50c Health Pipe, assorted styles, French briar, with removable Meerschaum Bowl. At 36c
25c, 35c and 50c Needle Cases—Slightly imperfect, every needle guaranteed. Your choice at 24c
Street Floor
Women's 50c Hosiery 35c — Black silk, seamless, medium weight, also light weight, fashioned, high spliced heels, elastic garter welt. A very useful Holiday gift. At 35c per pair. Street Floor
$1.00 and $1.25 Slippers 73c — Women's Fancy Felt Chaffee Slippers in all colors. A wonderful bargain at 73c per pair. Street Floor
Men's 59c Underwear 46c — Heavy light fleece lined shirts with shield front and back, drawers to match, large sizes. At 46c per garment. Street Floor
Men's $4.00 Sweater Coats 2.95 — Heavy weight worsted Sweater Coats, shaker knit with Byron collar, in oxford and brown only. At $2.95. Second Floor
25c Box Stationery 19c — Xmas box filled with good quality of stationery, white fabric finish, holly box. At 19c. Second Floor
$1.98 and 98c Soiled Waists 50c — Our usual good assortment of slightly soiled waists in lawn or voile, trimmed with pretty lace and embroidery, in high or low neck. Third Floor
$2.98 and $1.98 Silk Waists 1.59 — In all staple colors. Made in very pretty models, a good assortment of sizes. These make very pretty Xmas gifts. Third Floor
Long Kimonos 69c — Long Kimonos of flannelette in a variety of styles, colors and patterns, some with fitted backs. Third Floor
Shawls and Fascinators 25c — Of Shetland floss in white, black and colors. Fascinators are hand made. At 25c each. Third Floor
45c Tea Aprons 29c — Elaborate lace edge and embroidered pockets, long tie strings of lawn, dotted muslin and crossbar muslin with bows. Third Floor
Bust Supporters 29c — Deep embroidered yoke, reinforced underarm shields, well boned, in a holly box. Third Floor
$6.98 Long Coats 3.90 — For women and misses, broken lots, 10 different styles in plain colors and mixtures, full length garments. Third Floor
$3.49 Serge Dresses 2.55 — For women and misses, wool material in black and blue, trimmed with buttons, self or contrasting colors. Third Floor
69c House Corsets 48c — Medium bust, long hip, full size lace top, two sets of hose supporters, all sizes. Third Floor
Baby Plates 24c — Suitable for Xmas gifts for babies, in deep shapes, assorted figures and groups. At 24c each. Basement
98c and $1.19 Curtains 79c — Scotch lace, in novelty and allover patterns, both white and ecru. For three hours only, 79c. Fourth Floor
65c "Wandering Jew" Books 48c — By Eugene Sue, complete in one volume, cloth bound, and well printed, library size, 650 pages. At 48c. Second Floor
Men's 75c Slippers 48c — In good styles, all sizes. At 48c per pair. Street Floor

Children's $1.25 Bath Robes 95c — Children's $1.25 Bath Robes, in red, pink and blue, made of heavy eiderdown cloth with silk cord, sizes 2 to 6 years. Third Floor
Children's 79c Dresses 65c — Children's Gingham Dresses with full plaited skirt, prettily trimmed; sizes 4 to 14 years. Third Floor
Children's $1.25 Fur Sets 95c — Children's white Angora and brown Coney Sets for small children. Third Floor
$4 McMullen Trousers 2.98 — [illegible]. Third Floor
Ladies' $5.00 Sweaters 2.98 — [illegible]. Third Floor
Boys' $1.25 Sweaters 79c — Colors are maroon and gray, with collars, [illegible] 4 to 12 years, slightly imperfect. Third Floor
Boys' $3.98 Suits and Overcoats 2.98 — Suits made Norfolk styles in heavy mixtures, in sizes 8 to 16 years. Overcoats of chinchilla cloth and wool mixed effects; also [illegible] trimmed, in sizes 2½ to 10 years. Third Floor
$3.00 Kashgar Couch Covers 2.19 — Full size, in dark rich colorings; for three hours only. Fourth Floor
$3 Japanese Portieres 1 98 — Made of bamboo and beads, pretty patterns, all colorings; for three hours only, $1.98. Fourth Floor
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Child's $2.50 Rocker 1 49 — An exceptionally strong and well-made rocker. All solid oak, with wide arms and genuine leather upholstered seat. At $1.49. Fifth Floor
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Fruit Sets 69c — Imported china, useful and appropriate Xmas gifts, in dainty decorations, consisting of one large bowl and six sauce dishes to match. At 69c per set. Basement
$1.38 Carpet Samples at 98c — Wilton Carpet samples, with bound ends, size 27x54. For three hours, 98c. Sixth Floor
$1.00 Coat Hangers 59c — Usual size, covered with Dresden ribbon in pink, blue, lavender and yellow. With satin ribbon bows to match. Put up in handsome Xmas holly boxes. At 59c. Street Floor
BASEMENT
$1.98 Gas Burners—"Lindsay," [illegible] opal globe. At 1.49
25c Mantles—"Lindsay," inverted. At 12½c
$1.75 Flash Lamps—Miner's pattern, three cell battery. At 1.19
$8.98 Vacuum Sweepers—The "Beacon," never sold less than $8.98. For three hours at 6.98
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LEWIS ALLEN'S PRIMITIVE MAN LIFE WAS TOUGH

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another tree. I leaned branches against it at the stump end, covered these with other branches and turf, and lined the inside with moss. I can crawl away back in the apex and keep quite warm. Have made a big fireplace and keep the fire all night by banking the coals with ashes before I go to sleep. The only trouble with a fireplace is that bits of my "suit" keep dropping off and catching fire, and the moment I feel a sudden smarting and rise in temperature in any part of my anatomy I do not pause to investigate but leap into the pond first and then take account of stock afterward.

Moss and Frog Hunt.

I am dividing my time between picking moss from my "clothes" and hunting the noble bullfrog for my dinner. I have eaten so many frog legs that I expect to croak any moment. If it were not for the fact I am trying to be a primitive man I would not spring this primitive joke. If you are still running that "Worst Jokes" department, you might use it there. If you had a picture of me, you could use that in the department. I am about the worst joke I know of in my uproarious imitation of primitive man. If ever I get out of here alive, my next imitation will be a modern man wearing one entire pair of trousers and other garments and leaning against a mahogany railing giving orders to a busy man wearing a white coat and a bung starter in his apron pocket.

WEDNESDAY—Looked in the water this morning expecting to see my hair as white as snow. It wasn't, but I don't understand why, for I was awakened by something soft and fuzzy bumping into me. There was a squeaking and a snarl, and I let out a yelp, when a big "dog" replied with a large group of yelps and tried to dash his brains out against the side of my bungalow. I managed to crawl out in time to see a fox making a red streak across the landscape. He had chased a rabbit into my "bungalow," killed Br'er Rabbit with one vicious bite, and then, upon my own lusty yelp, went crazy with fright and beat it.

My hair is still standing on end, but that rabbit was fine eating, believe me.

I have a great idea: will make a bow and arrow, using strips of rabbit skin, dried, for the string.

A Regular Aborigne.

THURSDAY—Hurrah! Am a regular aborigne now. Have got a dandy bow and arrow. Today I aimed at a tree and hit the pond. Later I found some feathers and feathered my arrows, making points out of bits of broken fresh-water clam shells. By eating a hasty lunch of frogs' legs I had time to practice with it, and now shoot first rate.

FRIDAY—Shot three gray squirrels and a toothpick holder. Thought it was an animal at first, but when I went to pick it up after I shot it, I got my hand full of nice little toothpicks. After I pulled them out I remembered that it was a porcupine or hedgehog, don't know which. Saved all the quills and will use them for pins. All I need now is some cloth and shoes and a hat and shirt and so forth. Wish I had a cake of soap. Somehow or other, I seem to be getting permanently soiled. Ordinary pond water won't remove the pitch and soot and grime. If ever I get into a tiled bathroom with a lathers of hot water and soap and towels and a shower, I'll just camp there a week.

SATURDAY—Izaak Walton—wasn't he the guy who fished a little without much luck and wrote a lot of stuff?—well, Izaak Walton never had anything on me. No one's got anything on me except a pair of almost-mocassins made of rabbit skins tied on, and about three pounds of moss, but I am a real fisherman. Made a long, stout line of strips of squirrel skin, cut with a clam shell and tied together, and a peach of a hook made from the wishbone of a partridge I shot. Ground the wishbone down on a rock. Using bits of meat for bait, I can catch more fish than I can eat.

Oh, Such a Sting!

Nothing to worry about concerning food. I'm almost as smart as primitive man, but not half as handsome.

Sat on a little mound to fish this morning, but soon got up and sauntered nonchalantly into the pond. My only reason, or reasons—for there were twenty-eight million of them—was that I sat on an ant hill.

An ant, one of the red-headed kind, is only a quarter of an inch long, but he's got a sort of combination Stilson wrench and wire cutter nippers for claws that can bite through a ten-penny nail. When several thousand—did I say thousand? I mean million—when several million of them camp out in the crevices of an up-to-date-late-Summer suit made of moss, it is time to move out of that suit.

Getting fearfully cold. Honestly, are there people in the world today who have a whole suit of clothes? I can scarcely believe it. As I sat down to clean a fish today I didn't notice that I was sitting on some wild flowers. A bee stung me. Without going into any further details, would say that aside from being cold and miserable and scratched up and peevish, the weather is fine. I may stay another week. Then again I may not.

More of Lewis Allen's messages in Saturday's AMERICAN.

Joe Knowles' Bear Fight Story "Before and After"

How Joseph Knowles tells the story of his "Conquest of the Bear" in his vaudeville lectures today:

During the time I was in the woods I not only caught fish but bear, and killed one deer and found one killed. How would I get a bear? I had no axe, but could build a trap to catch a bear. I should call it an open deadfall or pit, not unlike the trap the squaws in the West have made and held with rocks to catch bears.

But here is Knowles' story of the bear killing as he wrote it in the woods at the time. The story was written on birchbark, sent to newspapers in Boston and elsewhere, and published:

THERE WAS MY BEAR TEARING AROUND AND PACING BACK AND FORTH AT THE BOTTOM OF THE PIT. THE MORE HE WOULD DIG AT THE BOTTOM THE MORE SECURE THE PIT BECAME AND THE LESS HIS CHANCES TO SCALE THE SIDES.

It was interesting to WATCH HIM AT WORK AT THE BOTTOM OF THE PIT. He was surprised when he first saw me at THE EDGE OF THE PIT, and stopped operations for a while and sat and sulked.

Now that I had the bear the next thing was to kill him. THIS YEARLING WAS TOO HUSKY FOR ONE MAN to handle.

I secured a stout club and, LEANING DOWN OVER THE PIT, awaited my opportunity. Once in the mixup, the RIM OF THE PIT CRUMBLED UNDER MY FEET AND I NEARLY FELL INTO THE PIT WITH THE BEAR. I FINALLY LANDED A BLOW ON THE BEAR'S HEAD THAT PUT AN END TO HIM.

*And here is the description of the pit which Knowles admitted was **his "bear pit"**:*

Three feet deep and four feet wide.

Roofed with saplings a cat could have scratched aside.

Sides cut down smoothly.

No marks of a bear's digging in the dirt or on the saplings that roofed the "pit."

Be sure to read the big instalment of that greatest newspaper feature—The Truth About Knowles, or the Real Adventures of the "Doctor Cook of the Maine Woods," which will be printed in next Sunday's AMERICAN. New and startling facts in the case against Knowles will be told next Sunday. Tell your newsdealer NOW that you must have next Sunday's AMERICAN.

Wellesley Girls Pick 1917 Officers

The Wellesley freshmen girls have picked the following officers: President, Miss Dorothy Rhodes of Brookline; vice-president, Miss Eleanor Blair of Montour Falls, N. Y.; corresponding secretary, Miss Katherine Andrews of Harrisburg, Pa.; recording secretary, Miss Alice Shumway of Newton Highlands; treasurer, Miss Harriet Bollard of Arlington; first factotum, Miss Millicent Baldwin of Brooklyn, N. Y.; second factotum, Miss Margaret Wilson of Chicago; advisory board, Miss Helen Lowry of Kansas City, Mo., and Miss Olive Sheldon of Hartford.

Puck Bought by Solemn Monthly

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Puck, the comic weekly which has chased glooms for thirty-five years, has been taken over by The Masses, a Socialist monthly, famed for its solemnity.

SAY OPERATION MADE GOOD BOY FROM BAD ONE

Several weeks ago William J. English, a fourteen-year-old Everett boy, was haled into court as an incorrigible child, with tendencies to do wrong, and particularly to commit larceny. He had been on probation two years.

Today, through the success of an operation for adenoids, his friends say, he has been discharged from the custody of the court, as a boy cured of every tendency to petty crime.

Boston physicians have different views and ideas concerning the case.

Dr. Thomas F. Harrington, director of school hygiene for the city of Boston, was of the opinion that such an operation might indirectly be the cause of such a change in the tendencies of the youth.

"Large adenoids," he said, "are known to interfere with the circulation of the blood of the brain. Such interference often results in the lowering of mental efficiency and might be the cause of certain tendencies to crime. In the work of my department there have been many cases when the removal of enlarged adenoids has resulted in increasing the mental efficiency of the boy or girl, and in my opinion it is quite possible that with the increased mental efficiency the desire to commit crimes might be conquered."

Declare Politics Beat Mrs. Young

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—Followers of Mrs. Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, one of the leading women educators of the country, forced out of the superintendency of schools by the Board of Education, today attributes her defeat to politics.

John D. Shoop, first assistant superintendent, was elected to fill her place. He began his term today.

Killed by 40-Foot Fall Off New Depot

While painting the new Hyde Park depot today, George Parmontier of this city, thirty-six and single, fell forty feet to the railroad tracks. He died in an ambulance.

Spanish-American Bank Fails.

MADRID, Dec. 11.—Great excitement was caused on the Bourse today by the failure of the Banco Hispano-Americano, a $20,000,000 institution, to open its doors.

'On the Fence Club' for Radcliffe Girls

The founding of an anti-suffrage club at Radcliffe, after the organization of the suffrage club there, was too much for the many girls who were neither antis nor suffragists. So the undecided ones are organizing an "On the Fence Club." Margaret Seely, '14, and Mary Underhill, '14, are the sponsors.

Boston Girl Sails to Wed in Panama

Miss Jeanette M. Harvey of Roxbury is on the ocean aboard the United Fruit steamer Zacapa, from New York to Panama, to wed Fred W. Blackwood, Technology, '13, a government engineer, and son of Dr. Thomas Blackwood of Roxbury.

Increase Wages of Clothing Workers

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—General upward tendency of wages in the cigar and clothing manufacturing industries is indicated in a report just issued by the bureau of labor statistics. Cigar workers in 1912 began receiving an average of 3.9 per cent. an hour more pay than the year previous. The clothing workers received 2.6 per cent. higher pay.

Pleasant Street Opens Tomorrow

The work on Pleasant street will be completed by tomorrow, and the thoroughfare opened to the public, after having been closed to traffic for nearly three months.

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Vose Upt.	$115	Everett Upt.	$110	Mason&HamlinUpt	$110	McPhail Upt.	$65	Chickering Upt.	$55
Haynes Upt.	$165	Merrill Upt.	$120	Stieff Upt.	$140	Emerson Upt.	$75	Fischer Upt.	$60
Shumann Upt.	$175	Doll & Sons Upt.	$250	Frederick Upt.	$175	Radio Upt.	$115	McPhail Upt.	$80
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MRS. SMITH TO MARRY OFF OUR STATE OFFICERS

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Mrs. Smith is against the "bachelor state," as she terms Massachusetts, and she declares that she will now go into the matrimonial market in dead earnest.

"My bill taxing bachelors was killed, and the unscrupulous politicians gobbled up our homestead bill. We are in this fight to win. We demand homes and husbands for women who are domestic and desirous of having homes of their own."

In an open letter, Mrs. Smith declares: "We had some experience with the thrifty Swedes of Minnesota who demanded wives at once, without even enclosing a postage stamp. Now it costs $25 for a cattle car and it would cost more for a human cattle car to ship good housekeepers, good looking, healthy women, not over thirty-five years of age, to the enterprising, thrifty Swedish farmers living in that State."

Quackenbush, Ill, Quits Mail Service

The resignation of Charles H. Quackenbush of the Boston, Springfield and New York run, and James W. Scales, St. Albans and Boston run, are made public. Quackenbush was a railway mail clerk for years. About two years ago he was removed by Ex-Postmaster General H. Hitchcock, following an enforcement of the so-called "gag rule." The United States Senate took up Quackenbush's case and he was restored to his former rating as clerk by the order of Ex-President Taft. He is now quitting the service because of poor health.

Sayres Honored by Ambassador Page

LONDON, Dec. 11.—The American ambassador and Mrs. Walter H. Page gave a dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bowes Sayre. The guests included Viscount Haldane, lord high chancellor; the Japanese ambassador, Sir William and Lady Osler, Dr. Shinley of Cambridge University, the American consul-general and Mrs. Griffith and the members of the American embassy.

Almshouse Inmate Wins Suit for $339

Judge Jenney awarded Margaret Breen, seventy-eight, one time cook of Back Bay families and now an inmate of the City Almshouse $339.72 in his decision filed in the Superior Court.

Mrs. Breen, before she went to the almshouse turned over to Bridget J. Breen of No. 8 Melrose street, the savings of a lifetime. This money she sought to recover by her suit.

Sell Painting of Morgan as Baby

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—A miniature of J. P. Morgan as a baby will be sold among other things at a sale of the belongings of different estates by order of Taylor, Knowles & Hack, Captain Charles Du Pont Coudert, and Choate, Laroque & Mitchell at the Fifth Avenue Art Galleries.

Jail Alleged Son of Senator Patterson

WILMINGTON, Del., Dec. 11.—James M. Pattersen, also known as Silas M. Patterson, who said he is a son of the late United States Senator Patterson of North Carolina, must serve a sentence of fifteen months in the Atlanta penitentiary for using the mails in a scheme to defraud.

Squantum Wants to Become Part of Hub

Citizens of Squantum have gone to the Legislature, asking for annexation to Boston. This is the first instance where part of a town has asked for annexation to Boston in accordance with the law. Squantum is part of the city of Quincy.

Refer Panama Fair Bill.

BERLIN, Dec. 11.—The Reichstag has referred the proposed Panama-Pacific exposition appropriation to the budget committee without debate.

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Second Floor — **Flannelette Waists** Regularly 98c Friday Only 49c. Made of good quality flannel, gray only, [illegible] pleated to give fullness to front. 300 Waists—Slightly soiled; regularly $1.00 to $2.00. Friday 60c

Second Floor — Sale of Odd **Coats** Friday Only $4.98. Full length models, in caracul cloth, chinchilla and various other materials; large shawl collar, quilted lining throughout.

Second Floor — $15 Boucle **Coats** Friday Only $9.75. Fine quality boucle—in navy, brown and black, 48 in. long, silk velvet frog and fur collar.

Second Floor — $10.00 **Muffs** Black Hudson Lynx (Coney) Friday only $3.95. Extra large pillow muff, shirred ends, good quality silk lining.

Second Floor — **House Dresses** Regularly $2.00 Friday Only 98c. Silk-finished gingham, in neat stripes or checks, round sailor collar, ¾ sleeves, turned back cuff and collar, finished with lace edge.

Second Floor — $20 Corduroy **Coats** Friday Only $14.50. Fine quality silk corduroy in black, beautifully tailored coat, all sizes for women and misses, in navy, brown and taupe.

Main Floor — 25c VEST POCKET **Cigar Lighters** Friday Only 17c. Thin model in nickel case, new scratch style, simplest lighter made.

Main Floor — 75c to $1.25 Dainty **Feather Fans** Friday Only 49c. Assorted sizes, beautiful colorings, of peacock feathers, mounted on imitation shell sticks.

Third Floor — $27.50 "Arrow" and Packard **Bicycles**. Guaranteed one year, with guaranteed nonskid tires and coaster brakes. Friday only $19.45

Third Floor — 50c Knitted **Woolen Toques** Special for Friday. All sizes for men and boys; colors navy, brown and red...... 19c

Third Floor — Men's and Young Men's **Overcoats** Worth $12.50 Friday $7.95. Of heavy Scotch tweed and fancy cassimeres, belted or plain back, sizes 34 to 44.

Second Floor — **Girls' Winter Coats** Regular $3.98 Value Friday Only $1.98. Of good quality kersey, plain back and belted models, trimmings of contrasting colored materials; colors mostly navy.

Third Floor — **Sash Curtains** Regular 15c Values Friday 9c Pair. Good quality muslin in striped design, all headed at top ready for rod.

Third Floor — $3.00 Ruffled Lace **BED SETS** Friday Only $1.98. In both white and arabe, for full size beds, with bolster sham complete, just as pictured.

Main Floor — Men's 89c **House Slippers**. Tan and black vici, opera and Everett styles. Friday only, at........ 65c

Third Floor — Men's $1 to $3 **Fancy Vests** Friday Only 39c. Broken lots, not one worth less than $1, many up to $3.00; sizes 34 to 42 in lot.

Third Floor — Men's $1.00 & $1.50 **Sample Hats** Friday Only 39c. English stitched hats in American and English fabrics, sizes 6⅝ to 7⅝.

Third Floor — Boys' $3.00 **Norfolk Suits** Friday Only $2.65. Made of an excellent grade of fancy cheviot, in pretty shades of gray, brown and tan; sizes 7 to 17 years.

Second Floor — $1.50 **Corsets** Friday Only 89c. C/B a la Spirite, seconds, made of heavy coutil, extra long hip, low and medium bust, heavy webbing garters attached, sizes 18 to 30.

Third Floor — 25c SILK FLOSS **Sofa Cushions** Friday Only EACH 19c. Size 18x18in. Well filled with fluffy silk floss, covered with white cambric.

Third Floor — $1.75 Framed **Tapestry Panels** Friday 79c. A splendid variety of subjects for dining rooms, library, dens etc., mission frames.

Second Floor — 69c Cambric **Petticoats** Friday Only 49c. Good quality cambric, daintily trimmed with embroidery, run with ribbon, all lengths.

Second Floor — $1.00 Gloria **Petticoats** Friday Only 79c. Fine quality, made with double stitched seams, accordion pleated flounce, with underdrop; all desirable colors and black.

Third Floor — Boys' $3.95 Covertible Collar **Overcoats** Friday Only $2.50. Smart Winter styles, made of heavy wool overcoatings, in medium and dark shades; sizes 15, 16 and 17 years.

Second Floor — CHILDREN'S $2.49 **Rain Capes** Friday Only $1.79. In navy and red, plaid lined hood, extra well made, waterproof; sizes 3 to 7 years.

Fifth Floor — **BAKERY GOODS**

Our Pound Cake—4 different kinds, lb.	12½c
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Fowl, fresh-killed	25c
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Fifth Floor — **GROCERY SPECIALS**

Cornmeal—Yellow granulated, per lb. 3c, 10 lbs.	28c
Quaker Oats—Regular 10c pkg. 7½c, 3 pkgs.	21c
Salmon—Delicious, solid red fish, per can 15c, doz.	$1.75
Imported Jam—Crosse & Blackwell's regular 24c crocks, each 20c, per dozen	$2.35
Tomatoes—Cloverdale brand fancy quality, can 10c, doz.	$1.15
Pineapple—Hawaiian Seal brand fancy fruit, can 18c, doz.	$2.10
Plums—Hunt's supreme quality, egg or green gage, usually sells for 35c, can 25c, dozen	$2.90
Strawberries—Tiger brand preserved berries, large can 18c, doz.	$2.10
Prunes—Large size, 20 to 30 to pound, Santa Clara quality, 25c value, 20c, 3 lbs.	55c

Second Floor — **Tea Aprons** Regular 29c Value Friday Only 19c. Of fine lawns, embroidered in dainty designs, scalloped edge and long hemstitched tie strings.

Third Floor — $1.75 Spanish Leather **Pillow Slips** Friday Only 98c. Magnificently made, with leatherette back, patent snap fastener so that cushion may be inserted without sewing.

Fourth Floor — $37.50 to $42.50 Royal **Wilton Rugs** Friday $29. Size 9x12, Oriental colors and designs; guaranteed in every way.

Fourth Floor — **Linoleums** Regularly 90c Sq. Yd. Friday Only 54c. Four yards wide, several new designs, including wood, tile and geometrical effects.

Main Floor — $1.39 Crochet **Bed Spreads** Friday Only $1.10. Full double bed size, fringed, with cut-out corners, Marseilles designs. 75c Seamless Bed Sheets—Size 81x90, heavy linen finish. At 59c

Main Floor — **Renaissance Scarfs** Regular $1.00 Value Friday Only 69c. Also squares and round centrepieces, elaborate designs with drawn-work centres; size 17x50 and 30x30 inches.

Basement — $8.50 Universal **Coffee Machine** Friday Only $5.49. In nickel or copper finish, 6-cup size with best regulating lamp; this machine is considered the best made.

Basement — $3.98 BASKET **Workstands** Friday Only $2.98. Strongly made, of a variety of prettily colored straws in several shapes.

Basement — 98c Japanese China **Dresser Sets** Friday Only 69c. Hand-painted decorations, 1 tray, 1 powder box and 1 hair receiver; a very attractive set.

Main Floor — $2.50 German Silver **Mesh Bags** Friday Only $1.69. Large size, unbreakable mesh body, with fancy finger and bead ornaments; frames exact reproductions of sterling silver models.

Second Floor — Children's 29c **Sleeping Garments** Friday Only 19c. Warm knitted sleeping garments, in oxford gray; warm and comfortable; sizes 1 to 7 years.

Basement — $1.75 German China **Chocolate Sets** Friday Only $1.35. Beautiful shapes and decorations, 1 chocolate pot, 6 chocolate cups and saucers to match.

Basement — **17-Piece Tea Sets** Regular Value $1.25. Fine Japanese china, elegant Oriental decoration, consisting of teapot, sugar bowl, creamer, 6 cups and saucers to match...... 98c

Basement — 75c Fancy **Scrap Baskets** A Variety of Shapes Friday Only, at 49c. Good strong baskets, in a great assortment of the season's best shapes and colorings.

Seek Society Man as Chicago 'Raffles'

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—The police are searching for a wealthy Evanston society man as the leader of the "skyscraper gang" of robbers. Russell Thompson, his cousin, Melville Reeves, and the latter's girl wife, all of whom are under arrest, are said to be members of this band of crafty criminals who have robbed a hundred offices in loop buildings and accumulated loot estimated at more than $500,000 in the last two years.

The fourth safety deposit box of the gang, three of which already have disgorged nearly $50,000 in jewels and negotiable papers, is to be opened. The police believe that its contents will divulge the identity of the real "Raffles," the rich resident of Evanston, on whose tip the gang worked.

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LOVE DRAMA OF HARRY AND EVELYN THAW

CHAPTER XCIII.

"I was sixteen—my skirts were just to my shoe-tops."—Evelyn's testimony.

When Delmas asked Evelyn why she refused Harry's offer of marriage he paved the way to get before the jury Evelyn's story of Stanford White, as something she had told Harry which, the defence would maintain, had turned Harry's brain.

Though Jerome made some objections Delmas put his questions so that he got around Jerome's verbal blocking, thus:

"Did you tell the defendant why you refused him?" "Yes."

"Was it because of any event in your life?" "Yes."

"In stating your reasons to Mr. Thaw, did you say it was because of an incident in your life connected with Stanford White?"

Judge Fitzgerald warned Evelyn that she could relate only what she told Harry when he proposed to her.

Delmas asked what Harry did when Evelyn refused him. The girl said:

> He came over to me and said he loved me and wanted me to marry him. I told him I could not. He asked me why. He said: "Don't you love me?" I said: "Yes." Then he said: "Why?" I said: "Because." He said: "But just tell me why. Give me a reason." I said: "Just because." He came over to me and put his hand on my shoulder and looked straight at me and said: "Is it because of Stanford White?" I said it was.

In this ingenious manner—always asking Evelyn to tell what she told Harry—Delmas brought in the girl's story of her own destruction

When beginning to tell how she met White Evelyn said:

"At the theatre a girl named Edna Goodrich——"

Evelyn was cautioned to mention no names but White and Thaw and herself. So she changed to "a young woman" as follows:

> "This young woman said she wanted me to go to dinner with some friends. I said my mother would not let me. She invited me a few days later but my mother refused. Then the young woman and her mother came and asked me to go to luncheon. The girl's mother said that the people giving the luncheon were in New York society and were all right, or she would not let the daughter go with them. My mother consented.
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> "When she came for me in the hansom I remember hoping we were going to the Waldorf. I had heard so much about it and wanted so to go there. But the hansom stopped in front of a dingy-looking building in West Twenty-fourth street and I was told to get out.
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> It was in August, 1901. I was sixteen. My mother had dressed me and my skirts were just to my shoe-tops."

Then Evelyn—still testifying to what she said she had told Harry—continued her narrative, relating how she met White and how the acquaintance progressed:

> We went up two flights of stairs and through two doors which seemed to open of themselves. I hesitated but the young lady said to come along and up a third flight of stairs I heard a voice say: "Hello."
>
> I saw the person when we got to the head of the stairs. He was Stanford White. We went into a room where there was a table spread for four. The room was very pretty, with rugs and pillows. Mr. White was very big and, I thought, very ugly.
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> We had this luncheon party and then this other gentleman went away. He said he had business in Wall street.
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> Then we went up two more flights of stairs and got into another room. In this room there was a red velvet swing and Mr. White put us in this swing and we would swing up to the ceiling. He would push us up and we would go to the ceiling. They had a big Japanese umbrella on the ceiling, so that, when we were pushed up very high, our feet would pass through.
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> After a while Mr. White said that he was a hard-working man and had to go back to his office, but he would like to stay all day.

Evelyn wound up that incident with a drive in the park with the other girl. Then, with reiterated assertion that this was all a part of the story she told Harry, the girl continued:

> The next time I saw Mr. White was after he had written a letter to my mother. He asked her to call at No. 100 Fifth avenue. I remember the address because I did not know whether this was his office, or house, or what. But she went and, when she came back, she told me that Mr. White wanted her to come and see him, which she did. He asked her to let him take me to a dentist, mother to go along, too. Mother said "No." It was a very strange thing to do, she thought. But Mr. White said no, that he had done that for nearly all the girls in the "Florodora" and they had nearly all gone and it was to be nothing out of the way at all.
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> The next time I saw Mr. White was at another luncheon at the same set of rooms in Twenty-fourth street. He invited me and told me there would be several parties there whom I already knew, but I must not ask who they were until I got there. He told me not to say anything to the first young lady I had gone with.
>
> Mr. White had sent me that feather boa and long red cape. My mother made a new dress and told me I was invited to a surprise.

Then Evelyn related her first visit to Madison Square Garden tower. She said her mother dressed her and she met White at the corner of Thirty-ninth street, was put in a carriage and was driven to the tower. She rode up to White's apartments. There was a party of four, all well behaved. To quote Evelyn:

> I had a very nice time. I had supper there and Mr. White wouldn't let me have but one glass of champagne. He said: "This little girl is not to have more than one glass. She is not to stay up late and she is to be taken home to her mother."
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> He took me home to mother, clear to the door of our apartments in the Arlington Hotel, and knocked at my mother's door. This was 1:30 or 1:45 in the morning.

Delmas, by way of Evelyn, was slowly but surely unfolding a story as Evelyn said she told it to Harry—of black plotting by White to capture this pretty little sixteen-year-old.

The next move in a vile game like this would be to get the girl's mother out of the city for a while.

To Be Continued.

ALMA GLUCK, prima donna, who insists she is not to wed famous Russian violinist.

ALMA GLUCK
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Alma Gluck "Not to Wed Zimbalist"

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Alma Gluck, the prima donna, returned on the Kaiser William II and with a lightness that seemed almost to belie her words denied that her deep friendship with Efrem Zimbalist, the Russian violinist, is to culminate shortly in marriage.

"Do you expect to be married this year?" she was asked. "No, not this year," she replied. "But next year I expect to be married ten times—on the stage, however."

Despite the denial, friends say she and Zimbalist would wed at once but for the fact both believe their artistic careers would suffer.

Attleboro Auto Crash Injures Eight

ATTLEBORO, Dec. 11.—Eight men were hurt, two seriously, when the automobile of Charles B. Oulton, a jewelry manufacturer of Attleboro, crashed into a tree at Wrentham Centre. Charles Pierce broke a knee cap, and George W. Hudson, Sr., his collar bone. Pierce was taken to the Massachusetts General Hospital. Oulton, Frank Pease, Robert Sharkey and three others, all members of Pythagoras Lodge, Knight Templars, were also hurt.

Use Roller Skates in Sorting Mails

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—Roller skates have been brought into use in the postoffice here to accelerate movements of clerks in the checking room. Eight clerks used the roller skates and more will be equipped if the innovation proves valuable. The skaters have a stretch of concrete in the basement a block long to cover.

Finds New Sun Spot.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Dec. 11.—The Rev. Jerome Ricard of Santa Clara University has discovered a sun spot, the largest seen in two years.

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All linen, initial, 6 in a box.

Men's $1.25 Box Handkerchiefs $1.00 per box
All linen, with initial, 6 in a box.

Children's 25c Handkerchiefs 17c per box
3 in pretty picture box, initial or plain, with colored or white border.

Women's and Misses' $15 Coats $7.50
Materials boucles, matelasses, and novelty coatings. Colors brown, blue, black and green, 7-8 length, cut-away front models, trimmed with self in [illegible], plush collar and buttons.

Women's $3.50 Umbrellas $2.49
26-inch, 8-rib size, with union silk covers, plain and carved ebonoid handles, with sterling silver caps and bands.

Women's $2.25 and $3.00 Umbrellas $1.39
Colored silk, slight manufacturer's seconds, assorted handles in carved effects.

$1.25 Military Brushes 79c
Ebonoid backs, all bristle.
98c Baby Sets, Comb, Brush and Puff Box 49c

Misses' $25.00 Suits $15.00
Diagonals and smart fur trimmed broadcloths; coats cut on modified Spring lines, skirts draped.
$15.00 Suits, Silk finished Corduroy, and Cheviots, velvet trimmed; brown, navy, and taupe $12.75

50c Writing Paper 39c
Fancy box paper, 48 sheets with envelopes, cloth finish.
50c Cloth Bound Cook Books 19c

$2.50 Traveling Bag $1.59
Walrus grain leather, in wanted sizes.

50c Toy Wagons 39c
Parcel Post, Grocery or Milk Wagons.

$1.00 Hunter Game 79c
This season's novelty in games.

$1.50 Collar Bags 95c
Made from selected India leather, satin lined.
69c Hand Bags 39c

$1.00 Mantel Clocks 79c
For mantel or desk, with celluloid frame, warranted.

50c Serving Trays 35c
Wooden frames, with cretonne set in under glass.

$1.25 Sofa Pillow 98c
Lustrous satin cover, with silk floss filling.
$2.00 Sofa Pillow Slips, $1.49

Girls' $4.50 Dresses $3.29
Corduroy, in brown and navy, with white sunburst collar and cuffs, button trimmed. Sizes 6 to 14.

Girls' $2.50 Rain Capes $1.89
Red and navy with plaid lined hood. Sizes 4 to 14.
Children's 75c Wash Dresses, Galatea, several attractive French styles. Sizes 2 to 6 yrs 45c

Women's 50c Silk Hose 39c
Fibre silk, bright thread, double soles and high spliced heels.

Women's $1.00 Union Suits 49c
Medium weight, perfectly shaped. "Mill Run" of Standard goods.

Children's $3 to $4 Coats $1.69
Corduroy, kersey, boucle and fancy mixtures, lined throughout. Sizes 2 to 6 years.

Boys' $4 to $6 Bath Robes $2.39
Samples only, 1, 2 and 3 of a kind. Sizes 3 to 10 years.
Children's $1.50 Bath Robes, Beacon blanket robes, pink, blue or red. Sizes 2 to 6 yrs 98c

Women's $1 Slippers 69c
Felt slippers, including fur trimmed and imported styles, also flexible elk sole, with felt tops, in wanted colors.

Men's $1.50 Xmas Slippers $1.00
320 pairs in tan or black, new and popular styles.

Boys' $1.25 Slippers 89c
Handsome styles for Xmas in tan leather, suitable for gifts.

Boys' 69c Night Robes 45c
Flannelette stripes and good colorings. Sizes 6 to 15 years.

$1.75 Piano Scarfs $1.29
Silk, with rich silk fringe, red or green.

$1.98 House Dresses $1.39
Chambray, percale, gingham, linen and madras stripes, checks and polka dots.

89c Long Flannel Kimonos 49c
Well covered patterns, trimmed with folds of corresponding color to match.
$1.98 Black Sateen Petticoat $1.48

25c Flannelette Petticoats 19c
Pink and blue stripes, finished with scalloped flounce.

$1.25 Muslin Gowns 79c
Assorted styles and trimmings.
25c Corset Covers 16c

$1.25 Sample Waists 75c
Voile and batiste, trimmed with lace and fine embroidery panels.
59c Lawn Waists. Low neck and short sleeves, trimmed with embroidery....... 29c

50c Veilings 29c
Imported and domestic, wanted figured and dotted effects. [illegible] white, brown, navy & [illegible] taupe.

68c Spool Silk 39c
Belding's pure dye, full ounce.
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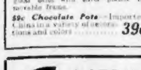

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WOMEN 'RUSH' GUARDS TO SEE SCHMIDT TRIED

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Women stormed the court of Judge Foster today in an attempt to attend the trial of Hans Schmidt, accused of murdering Anna Ann Muller, and precipitated a near riot.

When the trial began Judge Foster barred the morbid and curious, but more than 100 women appeared today and advanced to the door in a body. They were ordered away by the bailiff on guard at the door and then they "rushed" him. Several got by, but other court attendants rushed to his aid and they were driven out.

Schmidt spurned his aged father when he arrived from Germany with his daughter to aid him. They were admitted to the prisoner's cell today. The old man threw his arms about his son's neck and in sobs declared his belief in his innocence. The sister also wept and begged her brother to assure her he was innocent, but he refused to answer.

Mrs. Joseph Igler, whose husband was a cousin of Miss Aumuller, testified today that the slain girl boasted just before her death that she was going to marry a millionaire. She said the girl threatened to shoot her because she upbraided her for her relations with Schmidt.

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For motorists, athletes, outdoor workers, school children.
Sold Everywhere—in the yellow package.
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Seth Low Against Federal R. R. Rule

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Sharp warning against federal control of railroads was sounded today in an address before the fourteenth annual meeting of the National Civic Federation by Seth Low, president of that organization. This warning was directed to the government, to the employes of the railroads, to the national investors and the great American traveling public. Mr. Low says that investigation has shown him that in Europe the earnings of government-owned railroads barely equal the amounts paid out by American railways in taxes.

Bump Replies to Fall River Protest

Commissioner Frank M. Bump of the State Board of Arbitration in a letter to Thomas Taylor, secretary of the Fall River Textile Council, today replied to Taylor's charge that the board had been "premature" in advising the mill operatives not to strike recently. Mr. Bump pointed out that the law provides the board shall act when a strike is "seriously threatened"—as it was in Fall River.

Rifle Battle in Calumet Strike

CALUMET, Mich., Dec. 11.—A rifle battle is on between the deputies and and citizens' alliance and striking copper miners at South Range, according to reports reaching here today. Messages said that none had been killed, although the alliance men had captured twelve armed strikers and 240 pounds of ammunition.

Enlists When His Suit Is Spurned

PITTSFIELD, Dec. 11.—News from Fort Slocum, N. Y., today that Walter Wood of No. 60 Lenox avenue has enlisted in the United States cavalry for four years, revealed that Wood was disappointed in love. Theresa Dempsey admits that she would not give Wood a definite answer last Sunday to his ardent proposal.

$10,000 for Book She Wrote in Six Weeks

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—A check for $10,000 for a novel she wrote in six weeks was received today from a Chicago publisher by Miss Carrie Leona Dalrymple, daughter of George H. Dalrymple of Passaic, N. J. The book "Diane of the Green Van," won first prize in a literary contest.

Auto Crusade Is On in Providence

PROVIDENCE, Dec. 11.—A police crusade against reckless autoists began today here, called a "Safety first" campaign, for the safety of the pedestrian and of the careful motorist is to be considered first of all.

Value Brady Estate Now at $72,000,000

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Transfer Tax Appraiser Charles M. Friend of Albany held a hearing at No. 165 Broadway in the estate of Anthony N. Brady. Eugene Lamb Richards, special counsel for the State Comptroller, said that the preliminary figures indicate that the estate will be about $72,000,000.

BISHOP 'DEAL' WIDENS FOSS-WALSH BREAK

Friends of Governor-elect Walsh told today for the first time the inside story of the friction between him and Governor Foss. This trouble between the Governor-elect and the Governor had its beginning when the question came up of permitting Public Service Commissioner Bishop to resign now so that Foss might have the naming of his successor.

The inside story as told by Walsh's friends follows:

A leading banker called up Governor Foss. It is reported he told Governor Foss he represented the Morgan and New Haven interests in the matter, and asked the Governor to "take care" of Bishop.

For Bishop's place Congressman Andrew J. Peters was suggested as "satisfactory" to the railroad interests, according to the story.

Saw Walsh at Hotel.

Governor Foss, it is said, approved the idea and telephoned Governor-elect Walsh.

"If you want to see me you will have to come up to my room at the Hotel Lenox," was the Governor-elect's reply to the Governor.

So Governor Foss, accompanied by John C. Sherman, his secretary, went to the Lenox. This was a week ago last night. Sherman remained in the lobby while Foss went upstairs, saw the Governor-elect, and told him the proposed plan.

According to the story, Walsh, with emphasis on his words, said to the Governor:

"This is a scandalous plot. I'll have nothing to do with it.

"And the mere fact that Peters has let his name be used precludes him from any consideration whatsoever during my administration."

At this Governor Foss left the room. He rejoined Sherman in the lobby and both departed.

Breach Has Widened.

Since this incident the breach between the Governor and the Governor-elect has widened. The Governor-elect, his friends say, doesn't like the "eleventh hour" resignations which have been coming in at short intervals ever since the Lenox incident. Other resignations are "threatened," including a justice of the Supreme Court.

About all of these resignations come from men whose terms of office would expire soon, and who, by resigning, place the appointment of their successors in the hands of Foss.

"All I want," says the Governor-elect, "is fair play in these matters, and if I don't get it I'm going to object."

The situation has also failed to please certain Republican members of the executive council. One of these councillors had this to say:

"For some reason or other the Governor is getting a lot of resignations in this period between election and inauguration. The Governor need not be surprised if the council holds up everything that comes in at this late hour."

One Dead, $110,000 Loss in Hotel Fire

MACON, Ga., Dec. 11.—One man perished and many narrowly escaped today when the Williams Hotel was destroyed by fire. There were sixty-seven guests in the hotel and many were compelled to flee in their night clothes. The loss is estimated at $110,000.

AGREEMENT GIVES 'L' BOARD STATE POWERS

The Elevated arbitration board was accepted as a statutory board today by the representatives of the road and of the carmen's union, thus giving the findings of the board all the power of findings of the State Board of Conciliation and Arbitration.

Announcement was also made of an agreement by the L management and the men's union, covering the hours of labor for blue uniform men, i. e. conductors, motormen and guards.

By this agreement the men have waived their rights under the 9-in-11-hour law and entered an agreement which gives not less than 60 per cent. of the blue uniform men a nine-hour day, to be performed within an outside limit of 11½ hours.

The outside time of not more than forty per cent. of the schedule run may exceed twelve hours, but shall not exceed sixteen hours, but the platform time of not less than one-half shall not exceed nine hours, and the platform time of the remainder shall not exceed nine and one-half hours.

Final arguments were begun today.

Bond's Election in Waltham Contested

As an aftermath of Waltham's election nine days ago, several city and election officials were today summoned to appear in district court tomorrow to testify in a contest made by Amadias J. Cotey, of the election of Henry P. Bond, Republican, as Alderman. Cotey charges that Bond was not a legal voter, having moved to Boston.

SAGE TEA KEEPS YOUR HAIR DARK
When Mixed with Sulphur It Brings Back Its Lustre and Abundance.
Gray hair, however handsome, denotes advancing age. We all know the advantages of a youthful appearance. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray and looks dry, wispy and scraggly, just a few applications of Sage Tea and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundredfold.
Don't stay gray! Look young! Either prepare the tonic at home or get from any drug store a 50-cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy." Thousands of folks recommend this ready-to-use preparation, because it darkens the hair beautifully and removes dandruff, stops scalp itching and falling hair; besides, no one can possibly tell, as it darkens so naturally and evenly. You moisten a sponge or soft brush with it, drawing this through the hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, its natural color is restored and it becomes thick, glossy and lustrous, and you appear years younger.

FOR CONSTIPATION, TORPID LIVER, HEADACHE, DYSPEPSIA—DIME A BOX
Turn the rascals out—the headache, biliousness, indigestion, constipation, the sick, sour stomach and foul gases—turn them out tonight with Cascarets.
Don't put in another day of distress. Let Cascarets cleanse and sweeten your stomach; remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and that misery-making gas; take the excess bile from your liver and carry off the decomposed waste matter and constipation poison from the bowels.
A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning—a 10-cent box keeps your head clear, stomach sweet, liver and bowels regular and you feel bully for months. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a good, gentle cleansing, too.
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With 95c for Twelve Pennants (Add 10c Extra if Desired by Mail)
Will Entitle Bearer to Take Advantage of This Special Offer

Ginter's Christmas Sale
Offerings for This Week—Special price cutting on GROCERIES, TEAS, COFFEES, WINES. Figure facts that prove ⅓ savings.

Butter FINEST CREAMERY Choicest Quality Received Daily	33c LB	Eggs "Pine Grove" Brand. Strictly Fancy and Warranted.	37c Doz.
		Fine Western Eggs, Doz.	32c
Ceresota Flour Bag	79c	Coffee "Golden Rose" 35c Quality, lb.	25c
Gold Medal Flour Bag	79c	Tea "Golden Rose." All Kinds, 60c Quality, lb.	35c
Cocoa Sale "Golden Rose," Purest, Digestible Cocoa; Rich Chocolate Flavor. 35c Value. 1-2 Lb. 13c, 3 Lbs. 70c	Lb. Can 25c		
Campbell's Soups All Kinds Can	7½c	Sugar Finest Quality Granulated Lb.	4¾c
Naptha Soap Fels 5 Bars	19c	Cream of Wheat or Malt Breakfast Food Pkg.	12½c
Rolled Oats Quaker Co.'s 5 Lbs.	19c	Catsup Curtice's Blue Label PT. Bot.	19c
Corn Meal Best Yellow Granulated 5 Lbs.	13c	Peas Early June, 1913 Pack 12c Value Can	10c
Bacon Finest Sugar Cured 35c Value Lb.	21c	Corn Choice, Tender, Creamy, York State Can	8c
Rice Fine Uncoated Carolina Whole Head 3 Lbs.	25c	Tomatoes Choice, Large Fruit 12c Value Can	8c
Lard, Pure No. 5 Pail 73c Tub, Lb.	14c	Evap. Peaches Fancy Del Monte Lb.	11c

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Green River Whisky Bot.	97c	Scotch Dewar's Special	93c
Old Crow Bourbon Bot.	95c	Scotch Lords of England Real Glenlivet Bot.	89c
Hermitage Rye Bot.	95c	Irish, Wm. Jameson's Bot.	97c
Whisky Master, Pure, Pint $1.25 Value, 37c Qt.	73c	"Aquinas" Malt Purest Best Qt.	73c
Banquet Rye 1.50 Value Qt.	97c	Canadian Club Whisky Bot.	1.07
Booth's Old Tom Gin	75c	Rum Everett Spring Fine Domestic Pt. 37c Qt.	73c
Gin Pure Holland Type, Quart	73c	Rum Imported Jamaica Pt. 49c Qt.	97c

PURE OLD WINES, BRANDIES, COCKTAILS, ETC.

Calif. Wine Port, Sherry, Etc. 40c Value. QT.	25c	Duff Gordon Sherry	69c
Port, Sherry Santa Teresa 60c Val. Bot.	31c	Claret or Sauterne, French 1-2 Bot. 27c Bot.	45c
Port Imported Tarragona 1.00 Value Bot.	47c	Nebiolo Red Sparkling Pint 49c Qt.	95c
Cocktails Banquet, Man. or Martini Bot.	85c	Beer Budweiser, Anheuser Busch Doz.	1.30
Brandy J. & F. Martell Old French Vintage Bot.	1.39	M. & R. Vermouth Bot.	49c
Cooking Brandy Pure, Rich FULL QT.	73c	Punch Banquet Rum Base Bot.	73c
Stout Guinness', Burke's or McMullen's Pt. 15c Qt.	28c	Alcohol Pure Druggist Pt.	39c

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No matter what the importance of the letter you write may be, correct stationery should be used. It is not necessary to pay the high prices usually asked for fine quality writing paper, if you will buy it at one of our stores.
We have a choice line of very attractive styles that we are offering for less than in all probability you have been paying for inferior and imperfect grades of correspondence stationery.

Perfection Linen
We firmly believe this box to be the best value in stationery ever offered as a regular standard box by any store in America. It was chosen from samples submitted from all the leading paper mills—a fine quality, heavy weight, cloth surface, highly calendered writing paper in the latest square shape. The envelopes have the latest style long-pointed flaps. Each box contains 48 sheets of paper and envelopes to match. Many stores ask 50c a box for quality no better. Our price, a box. 25c

Spiraea Linen
A NICE quality of cloth-finish paper of the popular square shape, in attractively decorated boxes, containing 24 sheets of paper and envelopes to match. A quality usually retailed at from 15c to 20c a box. Our price, a box...... 13c

Initial Stationery
STYLE and quality is of the very best; each box contains 24 sheets linen finish paper, each sheet handsomely embossed in gold from steel die in the latest long old English letter, any desired initial, and 24 envelopes to match; regular 35c to 50c quality; our price, per box.......... 25c

Whiting's Celebrated Organdie Glace Stationery
ONE of the most extensively advertised papers in this country and considered as fine as can be made. In the correct shapes in white and full line of desirable tints. Price, per box............ 50c

Initial Correspondence Cards
PUT up in same style as the initial writing paper, only instead of paper it contains 24 very fine quality cloth-finish correspondence cards embossed same as the paper; price, per box....... 25c

As a Special We Call Attention to
A box of fine correspondence stationery, as shown herewith, containing 24 sheets fine quality cloth-finish correspondence paper, 24 gold edge cards and 48 envelopes to match; this is only one of a large and choice assortment of gift boxes that we have selected with special regard for holiday requirements. This box we offer for........... 50c

Trinity Lawn Stationery
THIS is an exceptionally choice paper. Experts claim it is as fine quality as it is possible to produce. Each box contains 24 sheets paper and envelopes to match. We unhesitatingly recommend it to our most critical patrons. It cannot fail to meet the most exacting requirements. Box.......... 39c

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WE have a large assortment. We positively guarantee every fountain pen we sell to give satisfaction.
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A regular $1.25 pen. Holder and cap made from best grade hard rubber with fancy chasing—pen a 14-karat gold, in fine, medium and coarse point. We offer this pen for only................ 67c
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An intensely interesting story of love and adventure by
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There are seven full page illustrations by F. Foster Lincoln; handsomely bound, with very beautiful marginal decorations by Albert D. Blackfield. Published at $1.00 each. Never to our knowledge sold by any one at a lower price. We offer them for only, each.......... 50c

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Why not choose a gift that is indispensable. The Cello Metal hot water bottle will solve the gift problem for you. It is inclosed in a dainty removable flannel bag and is packed in an attractive Christmas box. It is made in three sizes.
$1.75, $2.00, $3.00

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In all styles, such as plain and shaded Old English, Roman Text, Script, etc. If you contemplate engraving as a holiday gift we suggest leaving orders for it now, so that it can be attended to with the utmost care, rather than to wait until the inevitable holiday rush comes, perhaps to be disappointed in the end.
The workmanship we guarantee to be the very best, equal to any from the most exclusive stores. The stock is all of the very highest quality.
Card Engraving Plate and 50 Cards: Script letters.......89c; Roman..........1.50; Old English.......2.25

Fancy Leather and Satin Comfort House Slippers For Men and Women
BLACK, TAN AND RED, IN LEATHER. PINK, BLUE AND RED, IN SATIN.
These are high cut and with soft soles, just the sort that will please anyone who desires a pretty style and elegant appearance. The fit and freedom of foot motion given by these slippers is sure to give genuine satisfaction. Being soft they can be folded, each pair in a leather case to match material of slipper, making them very convenient for traveling.
These are the very latest novelties in desirable house slippers, made expressly for us, and make a most attractive holiday gift for anyone. A full assortment of sizes to select from.
Women's, a pair............1.59
Men's, a pair..............1.83

Genuine Imported Plush Toys
From the celebrated manufacturer, Margarete Steiff of Germany, who is noted the world over as the manufacturer of the finest Plush toys made.
There are many imitations of these toys, all of which are so inferior that they can be readily told at a glance.
Our order for these toys, given direct to the manufacturers, was one of the largest, if not the largest, given by any one concern in the United States. We have a splendid assortment of the most desirable kinds—**Teddy Bears, Cats, Dogs,** etc.—in various sizes and colors. These are the most desirable of all Christmas toys for small children, and we have made them our specialty in the toy line for holiday trade.
You will make no mistake in selecting these toys at one of our stores. No other store in America excels us in desirable assortment or low prices. Prices from..........................59c to 7.50

Pullman Slippers
The desirable kind for traveling. Very finely made of soft leather, in black, tan and red. Easy on the feet, attractive in appearance. Each pair in a leather case to match the slipper; they fold up so compactly that they do not occupy a space in the traveling bag much larger than an ordinary pocketbook.
We have them in all sizes, both for gentlemen and ladies,
98c A PAIR

Bath Room Slippers
Made from the very finest quality towel cloth in attractive colors, trimmed with velvet cord and carpet soles. Just the gift for a convalescent. With or without heels, as shown.
69c and 79c A PAIR

Rubber Toys
We have an almost endless assortment of these desirable requisites for every baby and young child. Direct importations from the celebrated Hanover factory in Germany, known as the world's best manufacturer of these goods. We have them in dolls, animals of all kinds—rattles and Kewpie dolls.
Our assortment of these Rubber Toys is undoubtedly the largest that can be found at any one store in this section of the country. Our prices range from........... 15c to 1.67

Kewpie Candy
A box of pure Barley Candy in real fruit and honey flavorings, each box containing 17 Kewpie candies, same as cut, and 17 sticks—each one wrapped in paraffine paper. Price per box............ 25c

Austrian Fourees
A dainty imported confection of ground nuts, raisins, honey, etc., with a sugar coating, made in shapes of nuts, leaves, etc.
Half Pound 29c Pound 57c

Sweet Lavender Jars
These jars are an exact reproduction of a very celebrated one made by the Royal Worcester Pottery, which retailed at $4.50 each. They were so much admired and so exquisitely dainty in design that a large German pottery reproduced them perfectly.
We placed a very large order for them early last Spring, and now are enabled to offer these attractive jars, each one filled with lavender flowers, with perforated top to let the odor exhale, for, each....... 50c

Celluloid Dolls
Very attractive ones, with jointed arms and legs; these are growing more in favor each year on account of their being washable and sanitary; we have an almost endless assortment of them in all sizes, from a four-inch length to thirteen inches.......... 12c to 1.35

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LARGER ARMY IS NECESSARY, SAYS GARRISON

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—"I recognize the fact that the time has not yet come when a nation can wisely disarm or slacken its efforts for preparedness in case of war," is the declaration of Secretary of War Garrison in his annual report to President Wilson. He declares:

"The army is not a luxury—it is a public necessity. A nation that is opulent, enterprising and unarmed, still invites, as of old, aggression—if not disaster.

"Many things are of immediate importance," says the Secretary. "Among them are an adequate supply of field artillery.

"The national importance of a reserve system for the organized militia cannot be questioned. The minimum strength at which militia organizations maintained in time of peace will render necessary a great and immediate increase in a national emergency, and this fact demands the presence of a system of reserves from which trained men may be secured for this increase.

"Without some such system, not only will such increase be rendered exceedingly difficult, but even when accomplished the efficiency of the organization will have been reduced to a minimum by the introduction of an untrained element double in number the trained personnel.

Five-Cent Hotel to Supplant Bread Line

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—Chicago's bread line will be abolished on January 1. A hotel where real beds can be had for five cents a night and where meals will be furnished at from one to five cents each will be established. Charles G. Dawes, former comptroller of the currency, who has been the host to the unfortunates in the bread line, is its founder. Connected with the hotel will be free baths and a free employment agency.

Bishop and Colonel in Athletic Contest

LONDON, Dec. 11.—The Bishop of London expressed his readiness to meet anybody of his own age, namely, fifty-five, in any game. Colonel Onmanney has taken up the challenge, and will play the bishop six games, three to be chosen by the bishop and three by himself.

South Boston May See Wilson March 17

In an address to the members of the Trade Association of South Boston, at the Quincy House, Congressman Curley practically assured the 100 members present that the President would be with them on Evacuation Day.

Sligo Club to Dance.

The 19th annual ball of the Sligo Social and Literary Club will be held this evening in Paine Memorial building.

SUITOR JOINS IN HUNT FOR LOST HEIRESS

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—The nationwide search for Jessie Evelyn McCann, the missing Flatbush heiress and social worker, has revealed the fact that at least three young men were suitors of the girl and showered her with attentions.

She would have married one of them but for religious differences. It was a letter from another, Laurence Wendell Squires, a sophomore at Columbia, which the girl received the morning she left home, and which she said was from a girl friend, and "entirely unimportant."

Squires says there was nothing in the letter to make the girl uneasy, but refuses to say what was in it—beyond that he asked her to meet him that night.

The latter is now in the possession of the police. Part of the missive dwelt upon Mr. Squires' determination "not to let love interfere with his scholastic career."

Additional mystery was given to the case today by the withdrawal of an offer of $1,000 reward for the recovery of the girl.

The federal officials, the police of every large city and powerful women's organizations, led by the W. C. T. U., today joined the hunt for the girl.

The discovery of Miss McCann's love affairs was the sensation of the hunt today.

Young Squires, one of the girl's three suitors, joined the McCann family in their search for the girl at Coney Island and Brighton Beach. They confess their efforts were fruitless. Squires says:

"I have been nothing to her more than a most ardent admirer. I have joined the family in their search because I could not study.

"It was my letter she received the morning she left home. It was not a love letter. There was nothing in it to make her cry. I made an engagement with her for Friday evening. I addressed her as 'Dear Jess,' and signed myself, 'yours sincerely.'"

Another Columbia student with whom Miss McCann was friendly was Harold D. Menken, of No. 791 West End avenue.

"I knew of no romance in which Miss McCann was involved," said Menken. "I was with her often. She was almost always chaperoned."

Mr. McCann went to Philadelphia today to run down a clew that his daughter is in that city. Inspector Faurea, who has charge of the search for the girl, told Mr. McCann his daughter had been seen there last Friday and detailed two detectives to accompany the merchant upon his mission.

Mr. McCann said he would call upon relatives in Philadelphia on the theory that his daughter may have taken a sudden notion to visit them without notifying her parents.

Teachers' Club to Lease Club House

The Boston Teachers' Club, at a meeting in the English High School, voted to incorporate and to lease the property at No. 4 Hancock avenue as a clubhouse. Miss Helen Cleaves, president of the club, explained the plans for alterations of the house, showing how it could be remodeled to fit the needs of such a club.

Scripture Fails to Answer Wife's Suit

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Dr. Edward M. Scripture of New York, former professor of experimental psychology in Yale University, failed to appear in the Supreme Court yesterday to enter a defence in the suit for separation begun by Mrs. May K. Scripture. Justice Blanchard reserved decision. Mrs. Scripture testified her husband drove her from his home.

Mrs. Pankhurst to Return to London

PARIS, Dec. 11.—Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, English suffragette leader, is secluded in the apartment of her daughter, Miss Christabel Pankhurst. The daughter said her mother was determined to return to London by Monday, when she is scheduled to address a meeting in Albert Hall.

Composer Clarke Dead in Reading

William Horatio Clarke died early today at his home in Reading. He was one of the best-known organists of Greater Boston and a composer and writer on musical themes of great ability. He was for many years organist of the First Congregational Church of Woburn. He also played at Somerville, Indianapolis, Erie, Pa., and Rochester, N. Y. He was an invalid for several years owing to paralysis.

$1,500,000 Dry Dock for Philadelphia

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Representative Moore of Pennsylvania introduced a bill to appropriate $1,500,000 for a dry dock at the Philadelphia Navy Yard sufficient to float the largest battleships of the navy.

Milk Labels, Soap Wrappers, For Sale
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From time to time we put out "Specials"—watches and diamonds at the lowest price ever known, and during the month of December we offer more of these than ever before, in order to make new friends for our jewelry department.

On any article we sell, you positively pay us no more on credit than if you paid cash elsewhere.

We offer on credit only the best makes—new models—all grades of Waltham, Elgin, Howard, Illinois and Hamilton Watches.

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The Holiday Small Wares

Offer Innumerable Christmas Gifts All Useful and Daintily Attractive

The possibilities of the Small Wares Section as a purveyor of appropriate Christmas gifts is almost without end.

It is not only a storehouse of staples and necessities like needles and pins, darning cotton and bodkins, skirt bindings and tapes, but an extensive section containing a wealth of holiday gifts, useful, practical and attractive, each having been given a festive dress in every instance.

Street Floor—Main Store.

Fitted Work Boxes	15c to 18.00
Needle Cases	15c to 2.50
Scissors in Cases	1.50 to 4.00
Sewing Chatelaines	25c to 1.00
Silk Covered Air Pillows	2.75 to 3.25
Jewel Pockets	25c to 3.50
Stork Scissors	50c
Arm Bands	25c to 1.50
Fancy Hose Supporters	25c to 2.00
Fancy Round Garters	25c to 2.25
Babies' Silk Garters	25c and 50c
Babies' Sock Garters	25c to 1.00
Bachelor Rolls	25c to 2.00
Silver Thimbles	25c to 1.25
Hot Water Bottles	59c to 2.00
Spool Stands	25c and 50c
Inlaid Stocking Darners	25c and 39c
Sewing Birds	59c
Hat Pin Holders	25c and 50c
Sewing Basket Sets	50c
Embroidery Scissors	15c to 50c
Curling Iron Heaters	75c to 5.00
Hand Sewing Machines	3.50

Other useful things specially designed for Christmas gifts or their making are Pearl and Gilt Lace Pins; Silk Pin Cushions in Fruit and Vegetable forms; Wax in Fruit forms; Enamel and Bone Glove Darners; Pin Cubes, Silk and Cotton Glove Mending Skeins; Pearl and Bone Bodkins and Stilettos; Sterling Silver Thimbles; Fancy Silk Emeries; Spring Tape Measures; Silk Blanket Binding; Colored Taffeta Ribbon; Silk Tie-Up Tape; Bone Rings; Bone and Pearl Silk Winders; Work Baskets; Fancy Silk Elastics in white and all colors; Pearl Veil Pins; Satin Pin Cushions and Coat and Muff Hangers to cover.

Jordan Marsh Company

The Store of Countless Christmas Gift Suggestions

SIR LIONEL PHILLIPS SHOT BY ASSASSIN

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa, Dec. 11.—Sir Lionel Phillips, South African mining magnate and multi-millionaire, was shot three times and possibly wounded by an assassin while in Commissioner street today.

One of the bullets lodged in Sir Lionel's neck. The assailant was arrested.

Sir Lionel was one of the group of five men, including John Hays Hammond, who were sentenced to death for instigating the Jamieson raid in 1896, which brought on the Boer war.

Surgeons were successful in probing the wounds and several hours after Sir Lionel had entered the hospital it was announced that his condition was not so serious as had at first been feared. The assailant told the police his name was Jem Taylor and that he shot the mining magnate for revenge. Taylor has been prosecuting an unsuccessful law suit against the mining group with which Sir Lionel is identified.

Owner Must Banish Cambridge Goats

Philip Michele's goats not only disturbed the social set in the Mount Auburn section of Cambridge, but they helped him to violate a city ordinance. Judge Almy fined him $5 today and Michele promised to dispose of the three goats.

Husband Left Her, Malden Woman Says

Mrs. Ella J. Barden of Malden filed a libel for divorce today in Middlesex County, alleging gross and confirmed habits of intoxication, non-support and desertion. She asks the custody of a child.

Castle Square Hotel

Special Planked Dishes Service for Two Persons $1.00

PLANKED WHOLE

Native Spring Chicken or Planked Sirloin Steak

French Fried Potatoes, Fresh Mushrooms stewed in cream, Waldorf Salad, Mayonnaise; including pint pitcher of Claret Cup

This Special Served Thursday, Friday and Saturday in all our Cafes from 11:30 A. M. to 11:45 P. M.

Tomorrow (Friday) we will serve, as usual, our Special Lobster Dinner, including Cocktail and Stein of Musty, Beer or Ale.

50 CENTS

Corn Fed Beef Used Exclusively.

Send Postal for Copies of Our Menus.

NEWS OF SOCIETY

MRS. AMES BUSY WITH HOSPITALITY PLANS

Miss Ruth Cheney Presented to Society at a Brilliant Ball at the Copley-Plaza.

By ELIZABETH ELLIOTT.

I met Mrs. John S. Ames the other morning looking perfectly stunning in a fur-trimmed suit of dark gray velvet, and hurrying about among the toys in a favorite shop on Boylston street, evidently collecting her Christmas gifts.

Mrs. Ames, who, before her marriage, was the dashing Nancy Filley, one of the best horsewomen of her set, and a valued member of the Vincent Club, has proven her popularity as a matron as well as a maid. She has been since her return from Europe, in September, at "Langwater," the beautiful North Easton estate of her husband. She was a house guest recently of her sister-in-law, Miss Mary Shreve Ames, and her guest in the Ames box at the opera. Mrs. Ames has been the hostess for several delightful week-end house parties at her country place this Fall, and is busy with plans for other hospitalities for the coming months.

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The Dramatic Class of the Business Women's Club entertained the club members last evening at the clubhouse, State House Park. A short play of English life, "A Domestic Problem," a sketch, "Fast Friends," monologues and music comprised the program presented under the direction of Miss Dorothy C. Root.

The sale of Christmas gifts under the auspices of the club opens Friday in the assembly room and will continue through Saturday, December 20.

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The society tableau, "Angels in Art," which was given for the first time in Jordan Hall yesterday afternoon, was given again today for the benefit of Lincoln House.

In the tableau Miss Margaret Thomas, one of the most noted beauties of her smart set, poses as the angel, and for that particular pose Mrs. Harold J. Coolidge is the patroness. For the second tableau Miss Christine Snelling, Miss Janet Elliott and Mrs. Cortland Richardson pose, and Mrs. Amor Hollingsworth is the patroness. Miss Beverly Richards is the angel of the third and Mrs. James Jackson, Jr., the patroness.

In the fourth picture is a larger group made up of Misses Elizabeth Silsbee, Rosamond Eliot, Miriam Mason and Dorothy Morgan, who pose under the patronage of Mrs. Moses Williams, Jr.

For the fifth the patronesses are Mrs. S. Huntington Wolcott and the angel, Miss Lucy Aspinwall. The group made up of the Misses Helene and Rose Peabody, Evelyn Curtis, Dorothy Hurd and Ellen Andrews. Mrs. James Lawrence, Jr., is the patroness.

Mrs. Richard M. Saltonstall is the patroness for the seventh picture and those posing are Mrs. John S. Lawrence and Mrs. John Richardson, Jr. Miss Rose Saltonstall is the patroness for the eighth picture and posing in it are her young brother, Nathaniel Saltonstall, Mr. Vose, Miss Margery Prescott and Miss Grace Eliot. The next picture is under the direction of Mrs. Richard S. Russell, Miss Charlotte Harding being the angel. The tenth is in charge of Mrs. Frederick L. W. Richardson, those posing being the Misses Charlotte Hemenway, Edith Prescott and Caroline Ranley. For the following one Miss Mary Copley Amory is the patroness and the angels are Miss Laura Amory and Master Thomas Bailey Aldrich.

For the last picture Mrs. Thomas Motley is the patroness, while those posing are Mrs. Henry L. Sigourney and Manfred Bowditch and the Misses Elizabeth Jackson, Mary Hemenway, Harriet and Susannah Cunningham, Mary Hunnewell, Helen Bullard, Margaret Weld, Eleano. Fabyan, Priscilla Perry, Elizabeth Andrews, Margery Amory, Katherine Parker, Hester Chandler and Alice Wesselhoeft.

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The sale and exhibition of work done by the children at Lincoln House is in charge of Mrs. John Adams and Mrs. B. Preston Clark. Tea is in charge of Miss Minna Lyman and Miss Clara Shattuck assisted by Mrs. Allan Forbes, Mrs. David Cheever and Mrs. Ronald Lyman and the Misses Adelaide Jackson, Mary Vaughan, Elsie and Barbara Burr, Edith Parkman, Edith Foster, Ella Lyman, Edith Perkins, Marion Sprague and Marie Agassiz.

On the executive committee in charge of the whole entertainment are Mrs. John B. Swift, Jr., Miss Sarah Lawrence, Mrs. J. Lewis Bremer, Mrs. Henry Fay, Mrs. Robert De Normandie, Mrs. George G. Sears, Mrs. Charles Ranlet, Mrs. B. Preston Clark, Miss Rosamond and Miss Hortense Porter, Mr. and Mrs. John Adams and Mrs. Samuel Colburn.

Public Bequests in Millett Will

The will of Mary A. Millet of Woburn, probated at East Cambridge today, contains $2,100 in public bequests, as follows: $1,000 to the First Congregational Church of Woburn, $500 to Woburn branch of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, $300 each tot the Woburn Home for Aged Women and the Congregational Home Missionary Society of New York.

Shows How Radium May Propel Ships

LONDON, Dec. 11.—The possibility of driving ships by radium was suggested by C. E. S. Phillips at a cancer hospital today. He said radium in solution decomposes water, giving off an explosive mixture of gas. Phillips produces this gas which, fused by an electric spark, exploded and drove a small fan. The lecturer said there were 20,000 tons of radium in the ocean and that the world's coal supply will be exhausted 200 years hence.

Women Would Enter Mine After Slayer

BINGHAM, U., Dec. 11.—Two women sought permission at the Utah-Apex mine late last night to enter the workings and appeal to Ralph Lopes, slayer of six men, to give himself up in order that they might obtain the $1,000 reward on his head.

100 Guests Saved By Girl in Hotel Fire

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 11.—A score of guests at the Lasalle Hotel were injured and the lives of a hundred more saved by daring work of firemen who today carried a score of frantic women down fire escapes and ladders while fire raged all around them.

The guests reached the street half clad and several were injured in the wild rush to the lower floors. Miss Hazel Chambers, who had a room on the fifth floor, saved about 10 guests.

Reserve Decision on Fight for Title

In the Superior Civil Court at Salem today Judge Keating took under advisement the case of Charles Julius Wendell of Skowhegan, Me., against Mame McDonald of Rockport. The action is to recover a patent of nobility issued in 1690 by King Carl XI. of Sweden, and conferred on the plaintiff's ancestor.

Dog's Alarm Saves Sausage Factory

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 11.—"Ki-yi-yi-yi-yi," loudly barked a fox terrier today when fire started in the sausage factory of Peter Bronka. The dog's alarm was heard by Bronka and the flames were confined to a one-story annex. Now Bronka is wondering how the dog got his "tip."

Train Kills Man on 'Dizzy' Bridge

Frank Poyse, fifty, of No. 443 Main street, Cambridge, was run down by a New Haven train and killed today on the "Dizzy" bridge in East Cambridge.

ROSE T IMPORTING CO.

Our Friday and Saturday Specials:

Soups	Van Camp's, 10c value	6½c
Tomatoes	Solid Pack, 12c value	7½c
Peas	Sweet and tender, 12c value	8½c
Salmon	Choice Alaska, tall can	8c
Coffee	Special Blend, 35c value, per lb.	24c
Teas	Ceylon, Oolong, Eng. B'kfst. and mixed, 60c val., per lb.	25c
Extracts	Vanilla, Lemon, Almond, Orange, etc., 12c val., bot	7c

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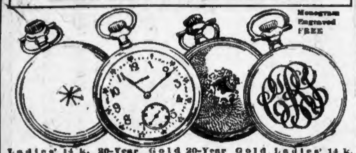

Ladies' 14 k. Solid Gold Watch — Genuine diamond set in case.	20-Year Gold Filled Waltham Watches—Ladies' sizes, fine jewelled movement.	20-Year Gold Filled — Ladies' watches, fine movement.	Ladies' 14 k. Solid Gold Watches — Any monogram on back.
$16.50	$8.75	$7.75	$9.95

IF THESE WATCHES can be duplicated in any other jewelry store in New England for less than double these prices we will refund your money in full. A written guarantee with every watch sold.

BRACELET WATCHES

Gold filled, fine jewelled Waltham movement, retail value $18. Our price $12.95

Solid Silver, guaranteed movement, retail value $10.50. Our price $7.50

Gun Metal, guaranteed movement, retail value $10. Our price $6.85

Others up to $225

ALL MAKES AND GRADES **MEN'S WATCHES**

We have 300 of these beautiful Thin Model Waltham or Elgin Watches especially for the gift buyer. Monograms engraved free, 17 jewelled movements; guaranteed accurate timekeepers. Regular $20 Watches. Our price.......... $9.75

23 Jewelled, adjusted movement, 14k. solid gold cases, $25 value. This sale, direct to you.......... $13.75

Jewelled Waltham or Elgin Watches, warranted 20-year cases. $12 value. This sale $6.50

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This store is crowded with gifts worth while. Every purse may be accommodated—every taste gratified. Credit if you wish it.

Gas Lamp 8.50

Goods purchased now will be delivered when you wish

Open every evening from Dec. 13th to Dec. 23rd inclusive

This beautiful Art Lamp gives a strong suggestion of comfort. It has a brass base and dome of leaded glass. Height 20 in., dome 16 in. Complete with tube.......... 8.50

E. E. DESK 10.00

Solid Quartered Oak, early English finish, 40 in. high, 30 in. wide. Large lid and convenient arrangement of pigeon holes. Wide shelf. Price...... 10.00

E. E. MORRIS CHAIR 9.85

This heavy-framed chair is a rare bargain. Solid Quartered Oak, finished Early English. Brass castor cups. Furnished with well-made velour cushions 9.85

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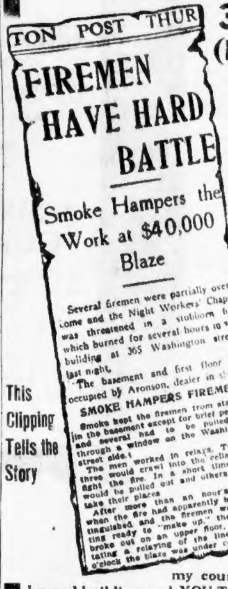
DAMAGED BY FIRE, SMOKE AND WATER IN LAST WEEK'S BIG FIRE AT ARONSON'S 365 WASHINGTON ST. STORE—HAVE BEEN REMOVED TO TEMPORARY QUARTERS AT



TON POST THUR

FIREMEN HAVE HARD BATTLE

Smoke Hampers the Work at $40,000 Blaze

Several firemen were partially overcome and the Night Workers' Chapel was threatened in a stubborn fire which burned for several hours in the building at 365 Washington street last night.

The basement and first floor are occupied by Aronson, dealer in shoes.

SMOKE HAMPERS FIREMEN

Smoke kept the firemen from staying in the basement except for brief periods and several had to be pulled out through a window on the Washington street side.

The men worked in relays. Two or three would crawl into the cellar and fight the fire. In a short time they would be pulled out and others would take their places.

After more than an hour's work, when the fire had apparently been extinguished and the firemen were getting ready to "make up," the flames broke out on an upper floor, necessitating a relaying of the lines. By 2 o'clock the blaze was under control.

This Clipping Tells the Story

36 COURT. ST. (Next the U. S. Trust Co., Scollay Sq.) —and go on sale **FRIDAY AND SATURDAY** AT

$1.00

No Refunds. No Exchanges.

JUST THINK OF IT! Men's, Women's and Children's **SHOES**

All Leathers—All Sizes

All Styles—All Makes

The Regular $2, $2.50, $3, $3.50, $4, $4.50 & $5 Qualities

Will be piled up on my counters as they were taken from the burned building and YOU TAKE YOUR CHOICE—FIRST COME FIRST SERVED, at $1.00.

Remember This Sale Starts Tomorrow 9 A. M. At 36 Court St. My Temporary Quarters

Right at the opening of the Holiday Season, when my stock was at its best, comes this catastrophe. All the big stock was affected, for though much of it was only damaged by smoke it prevents my selling it as clean goods. A slight trace of smoke gives you a bargain otherwise impossible.

A SALE OF GREATER AND MORE ADVANTAGEOUS POSSIBILITIES THAN ANY EVER HELD IN BOSTON

Women's oxfords and high shoes in patent colt, cloth tops, gun metal, calf, tan, Russia calf and all the fashionable leathers. Storm Boots and Rubbers. Some of them from the makers of the finest shoes in America and sell usually as high as $4.50 to $6.00, at this FIRE SALE $1.00 per pair.

Thousands of pairs of men's boots and shoes, the latest styles of American and English models. Some in patent colt, Russian calf, black calf, and all good materials. High cut hunting boots, Workingmen's boots, storm boots and rubber boots. Any of them are yours for picking them out at $1.00 per pair.

The insurance company's loss is your gain. This is the greatest opportunity you will ever have to buy good shoes at less than half actual cost. It will pay you well to lay in a supply from this stock for this Winter and next Winter. Be early—the best bargains will go first—Don't let anything keep you from attending this great sale.

ARONSON'S

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36 COURT STREET

NEXT THE U. S. TRUST CO. SCOLLAY SQUARE

3 DOORS FROM NEW CITY HALL ANNEX

ALEXANDER COCHRAN, THE SOLE
OWNER OF NEW YACHT
FOR CHALLENGE CUP RACE

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTING NEWS

GEORGE ALGER TO MEET
JOE NEARY IN BOUT
IN LAWRENCE TONIGHT

COCHRAN SOLE OWNER OF NEW CUP DEFENDER

The America cup boat that will be built at Lawley's Neponset and for Alexander S. Cochran of New York will be a boat that will be watched from the time the keel is laid until it gets into the trial races with the other two New England built and New England designed boats.

Mr. Cochran, who was the owner of **the schooner** Westward, that cleaned up **the fleet of fast** English and German **schooners** a couple of years ago, has given **William** Gardner of New York, who **will design** his boat, much leeway as to **the type and rig** and hopes to bring out **a boat that** will meet the extreme speed **for which** Herreshoff is noted.

Mr. Cochran is the sole owner of the Gardner boat and is financing it himself. **It will be one of the very few times that a cup boat has gone to the starting line in the trial races** owned by a single individual.

To build, equip and handle a cup defender even in the trial races means the expediture of something over $175,000; and then the boat may never be selected to meet Sir Thomas Lipton's new boat for the historic America's cup.

Gardner will be pitted against two other designers, who have also produced some pretty fast sailing craft, George Owen of Newton and Herreshoff. It will be the aim of Owen and Gardner to get a boat that can meet and stop a Herreshoff boat and the results of the trial races will be keenly watched by yachtsmen all over the country.

Moahoncas Club Out for Record

The Moahoncas A. C. of Charlestown has reorganized for the winter season, and issues a challenge to any club in New England for bowling, hockey or basketball matches. The following officers were elected: President, William Sampson; secretary, Joseph Tyrrell; treasurer, Elmer Meechan; sergeant-at-arms, George Breslin. The same team that represented the Moahancas on the alleys last year will be on deck again. Manager Fred Moore, No. 103 Russell street, Charlestown.

Wisconsin Students Take Boxing Lessons

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 11.—Students of the University of Wisconsin have taken up boxing and already forty members have enrolled in the boxing classes under direction of John Rudderham, formerly of the University of Illinois.

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WHISKEY
Smooth and Mellow
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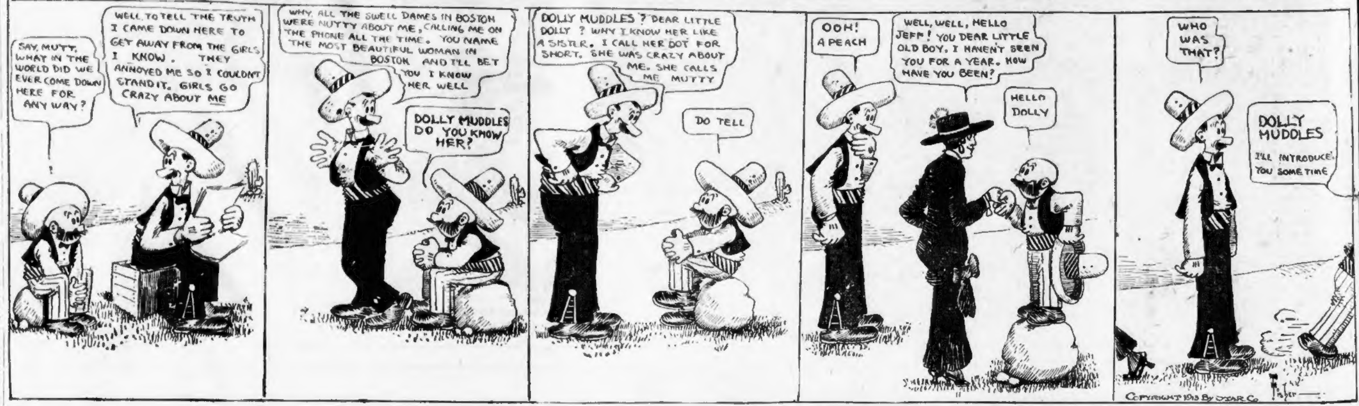
Now, on the Level, Did Anything Like This Ever Happen to You?

By "Bud" Fisher



SAY, MUTT, WHAT IN THE WORLD DID WE EVER COME DOWN HERE FOR ANY WAY?
WELL, TO TELL THE TRUTH I CAME DOWN HERE TO GET AWAY FROM THE GIRLS I KNOW. THEY ANNOYED ME SO I COULDN'T STAND IT. GIRLS GO CRAZY ABOUT ME
WHY, ALL THE SWELL DAMES IN BOSTON WERE NUTTY ABOUT ME, CALLING ME ON THE PHONE ALL THE TIME. YOU NAME THE MOST BEAUTIFUL WOMAN IN BOSTON AND I'LL BET YOU I KNOW HER WELL
DOLLY MUDDLES DO YOU KNOW HER?
DOLLY MUDDLES? DEAR LITTLE DOLLY? WHY I KNOW HER LIKE A SISTER. I CALL HER DOT FOR SHORT. SHE WAS CRAZY ABOUT ME. SHE CALLS ME MUTTY
DO TELL
OOH! A PEACH
WELL, WELL, HELLO JEFF! YOU DEAR LITTLE OLD BOY. I HAVEN'T SEEN YOU FOR A YEAR. HOW HAVE YOU BEEN?
HELLO DOLLY
WHO WAS THAT?
DOLLY MUDDLES
I'LL INTRODUCE YOU SOME TIME
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Fisher

Food for Sport Fans

By GEORGE E. PHAIR.

BETTER THAN THAT A HYPO.

"I cannot sleep," a stranger said.
"I toss upon my restless bed;
In vain I linger in the hay
And wait until the break of day,
For Slumber always passes by
And never even bats an eye."

"Cheer up!" I kindly told the lad,
"Your case is not so gol darn bad,
For I have seen men worse than you
Recover in an hour or two."
"Slip me an earful of your dope!"

And when I whispered in his ear
His joyous voice was good to hear,
And with a smile upon his face
He hastened to a six-day race,
And soon arose a healthy snore
That echoed for a mile or more.

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Christy Mathewson advises ballplayers to avoid overeating, but the advice is unnecessary when they are buying their own meals.

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The war in Mexico is not interfering with the racing at Juarez. This is because the average bookmaker's hide is so thick that bullets fail to puncture it.

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Mimorioso equalled the track record at Juarez, travelling almost as fast as a federal general in retreat.

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Charlie Somers of Cleveland has sold Jack Lelivelt to Charlie Somers of Toledo. Charlie is the best double-action magnate in baseball.

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Be not overjoyed at the report that tin-horns will be barred from the New Year drinkfest. There will be the usual quota of tin-horn sports.

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It may be true that Governor Tener accepted his new job purely for the love of the game, but there is no truth in the rumor that he has refused the $25,000 a year.

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DO YOU?

Somewhere on the broad Pacific
Commy's athletes sail,
Trembling at the wild, terrific
Beating of the gale.

They may be near Honolulu
Or near Timbuctoo,
Or beside the Isle of Sulu—
I don't care, do you?

* * *

In view of the fact that we have picked All-American, All-Eastern, All-Western, All-State and All-High School teams, why neglect the All-Grammar School and All-Kindergarten elevens?

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It is estimated that 1,242 batsmen faced Walter Johnson last year, none of whom particularly enjoyed it.

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"There is no such thing as a batting eye," says Ty Cobb, who always likes to kid the pitchers.

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There are several arguments against Notre Dame's entrance into the Western conference, one of which is that its football team is too good. The other arguments don't count.

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Bob Hedges is said to be worried over the report that some of his athletes have jumped to the Federals, but why should any one be worried about losing any of the Browns?

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Packey McFarland has several novel training stunts, one of which is to fire Emil Thiry and hire him back every day.

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While George Rodel has a perfect right to claim the white heavyweight championship of the universe, it behooves him not to holler too loud. Packey McFarland may get angry and knock his block off.

TOM JENKINS OUT TO REGAIN OLD MAT TITLE

From West Point comes the report of the hankering for a few wrestling matches from Tom Jenkins, the ex-heavyweight champion. George V. Tuohey, the Boston promoter, who went up to see the big fellow, accompanied by Jack Herman of Buffalo and Jack Curley, the local promoter, listened to the following from Jenkins:

The way I feel today, I don't think there is a wrestler in the world that can defeat me. With Gotch on the retired list, I am willing to come out to claim the title and defend it against all comers.

I was only beaten three times—by Gotch, who is on the retired list; by Mahmout, who was killed in the Balkan war, and by Zybyszko, who says he won't return to this country.

With these fellows out of the game, who is there to defeat me? If there is anybody that thinks he can pin my shoulders to the mat let him try it. I never felt better in all my life.

I work daily with some of the greatest amateur athletes in the world, and the way the soldier boys defeated the sailors in the football game bears out my statement.

I am willing to go back for a tryout Only one thing that I will insist upon—no second-raters for mine. I want matches with the best men in the game or stay out forever.

Tom Jenkins always was the ideal American champion and his line of talk has the real ring to it.

Jack McAuliffe to Tour Europe

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Jack McAuliffe, undefeated and retired lightweight champion, sails Saturday to Europe for a six-weeks' exhibition tour.

As McAuliffe holds a unique position in the boxing world he is assured of enthusiastic receptions in the cities he expects to visit. He will begin his tour in London December 22, and will then visit France and Germany. At each place where he exhibits some well known local boxer will go on with him in a sparring bout.

Trinity Also Declines Yale's Opening Game

HARTFORD, Ct., Dec. 11.—Trinity has declined Yale's invitation to Trinity to play the opening football game for both colleges at New Haven next Fall. Trinity, in refusing, explains that her schedule is already filled, but other reasons are that Trinity is unwilling to accept a proposition secondary to Wesleyan and that, like Wesleyan, the Trinity management does not care to go up against so stiff a game at the very opening of the season.

To Launch Lipton's Challenger in April

LONDON, Dec 11.—According to the Times the yacht Shamrock IV., Sir Thomas Lipton's challenger for the America cup, will probably be launched in April and ready for sailing trials in May.

Cornell Star Broke Arm; Didn't Know It

ITHACA, N. Y., Dec. 11.—William H Fritz, the Cornell football star, who won honors in the Pennsylvania game Thanksgiving Day, broke his arm during the contest, when, in the second perod, he collided with Minds of Pennsylvania. He was conscious of a slight bruise in the right forearm, but paid no attention to it. It has just begun to swell. Fritz consulted a physician, who found by an X-ray examination that Fritz had fractured his arm.

Vanderbilt Cup Race on Coast in February

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 11.—The Vanderbilt cup race, the annual automobile event heretofore run in the East, will be decided in 1914 on the Santa Monica road race course skirting the Pacific ocean. The contest was set for February 21 and the day following, it was stated, the "grand prix" would be run.

Federal League May Place Club in Gotham

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—It was learned here today that the Federal League had decided to place a club in New York if possible. Ned Hanlon, the former National League manager, who is interested in the new Baltimore club of the outlaw organization, would not confirm or deny that such was the league's intention.

Franz Marceau Will Not Lose Eyesight

HANOVER, N. H., Dec. 11.—Franz Marceau, Dartmouth's crack long-distance runner, who was badly burned about the eyes while preparing a chemical solution in the college chemical laboratory, is resting quietly at the Mary Hitchcock Hospital in Hanover. Dr. Carleton announced today that his sight will not be lost, as was feared at first, but that both eyes will be saved.

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Boys' Suits In Stylish Fabrics, Serges, Worsteds, Cassimeres, etc.; some with two pairs of trousers. Norfolk, Russian and two-piece Models. Values $5 to $8.50. Sale Prices **3.98 to 6.98**

Men's Overcoats Stylish Winter Overcoats in Beautiful Mixtures, with or without Convertible Collars. Values $12 to $16. Sale Prices **7.98 to 12.98**

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Ladies' Suits Beautiful Suits in Worsteds, Whipcord, Serge, Cheviot and Corduroy. Values from $22 to $37. Sale Prices **16.50 to 26.00**

Ladies' Dresses In Serge, Messaline, Silk Chiffon and Velvet. Beautiful Garments, Latest styles. Values $9 to $35. Sale Prices **6.50 to 24.50**

Misses' Suits In Serge, Fancy Mixtures, Cheviot, Whipcords and Corduroys, Nobby Stylish Suits. Values from $15 to $32. Sale Prices **7.50 to 15.00**

Girls' Dresses Ages 4 to 14, in Serges, Panamas, Ginghams, Percales, etc. Values $1.50 to $10. Sale Prices **98c to 7.50**

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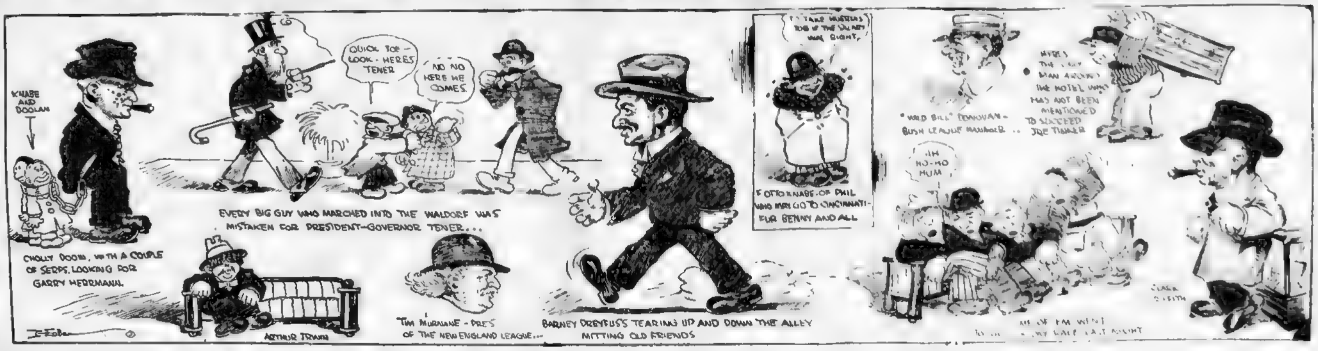
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HERE'S THE ONLY MAN AROUND THE HOTEL WHO HAS NOT BEEN MENTIONED TO SUCCEED JOE TINKER
AH HO-HO HUM
CLARK GRIFFITH

MINORS AFTER PLAYERS AT BIG LEAGUE MEETING

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Several big trades and many of minor importance are expected to be pulled off here today at the annual meeting of the National League. The magnates went into session at the Waldorf-Astoria early this morning.

Many minor league magnates are here in search of players and it is understood that several of the big league owners have a large amount of surplus stock in the line of players which they are only too glad to dispose of.

The Joe Tinker deal still hangs fire. Brooklyn's offer of $25,000 in cash has been turned down, and Herrmann won't trade Tinker to the Phillies for two men, because Pitcher Seaton or Rixey are not to be included in the deal. President Murphy of the Cubs, just back from Europe, said today that he didn't believe he would bid for the services of Tinker.

Federal League scouts are here in search of unreserved players in the major and two Class A Leagues.

President Ban Johnson of the American League has left town without making a friendly call on John K. Tener, newly elected president of the National League.

In his speech accepting the presidency of the league, Governor Tener said that he would not outline his policies until time called for them.

"I was always proud of the fact that I was identified with the game as a player," said Governor Tener. "I do not feel it incumbent upon me at this time to announce my policies as president of the National League. I would rather leave the announcement of such policies to time.

"I shall enter on my duties in an impartial way, and I hope that my connections with the National League will be as pleasant as they promise to be.

"I feel that sportsmanship should cut strongly into the affairs of the National League, but not in a way that would endanger the business principles. I shall do everything in my power to safeguard and conserve the honesty of the game and place it upon a higher plane.

"I expect that my relations as president with the club owners will be harmonious throughout.

"Baseball depends much upon the press for its popularity and the press depends upon the officials of baseball for its news. I shall expect the club owners to permit me to talk for the league. The owners may speak for themselves in matters concerning their own clubs."

Herrmann Wants Rixey in Tinker Deal

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Joe Tinker, deposed manager of the Reds, is still uncertain where he will go next Spring. President Charles H. Ebbets of the Brooklyn club has repeated his $25,000 offer for the Cincinnati shortstop. The Philadelphia club, it was said, was willing to give up Doolan and a pitcher—Chalmers, Mayer or Brennan—for Tinker. August Herrmann, president of the Cincinnati club, wanted Doolan and a pitcher, but not one of the three offered; he wanted Rixey or some other twirler.

Murphy Won't Bid for Joe Tinker

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Charles W. Murphy, president of the Chicago Cubs, is back from Europe. He was much pleased on learning that John K. Tener had been elected president of the National League.

Asked if he would make a bid for the services of Joe Tinker he said that he didn't think he would.

Coast Star Surprises Gotham.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Bob McAllister, the San Francisco middleweight, made his debut here by decisively defeating "Young Mike" Donovan of this city in a ten-round bout at the Fairmount Athletic Club.

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ALGER TACKLES COAST STAR AT LAWRENCE CLUB

By RINGSIDE.

George Alger, the clever Cambridge lightweight, will meet Joe Neary of California in the main bout at the Unity Cycle Club in Lawrence tonight.

This will be Neary's first appearance in the East. He is in tip-top condition as he realizes that in Alger he is taking on a boy who is always in fine trim.

Neary has fought a ten-round draw with Bud Anderson, according to newspaper clippings he has in his possession.

Alger has fought most of the leading lightweights in the country and when the Coast favorite steps from the ring tonight he will know that he has been in a tussle.

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Once more Packey McFarland, the Chicago Stockyard boy, has announced his retirement from the ring. The boxing "fans" have heard this declaration so many times from the Chicago boxer that they hardly believe it. McFarland is the cleverest boxer in the ring today and the followers of the game would consider it a "crime" for him to leave the squared circle at the height of his career. McFarland does not have to continue boxing in order to earn his living, as he has been careful with his money and has a tidy fortune stored away.

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Matchmaker Lynch of the Only Social and Athletic Club of North Abington has made a ten-strike in signing Walter Ridge and Johnny Stanton for his show this evening. Both boys are clever boxers and should put up an exceptionally fast bout. A good preliminary card has also been arranged.

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Eddie Murphy, the South Boston lightweight, is in line to show his wares before the Syracuse people. Murphy has received offers from Tommy Ryan and it is likely that he will accept.

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Young Hugo Kelly and Charlie Sheppard will clash in two six-round bouts in Portland on Friday evening. Both boys are training hard for the contest.

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It must have tickled Sam Langford to learn that Georges Carpentier won over Wells in one round. Langford is on his way to Paris and one of the big bouts he anticipates is with the French idol.

Chicago Refuses to Play Harvard Eleven

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—The University of Chicago Athletic Association has declined to meet Harvard in football next Fall. The board expressed appreciation at the invitation for a game at Cambridge but decided that it was not advisable to schedule contests with teams outside the Western conference.

Tufts May Get on Crimson Schedule

It was reported today that Harvard has opened negotiations for a football game with Tufts next Fall. If the game is arranged it will probably be played at the stadium October 24 or 31 on the dates offered the University of Chicago. No confirmation of the report could be made but it is believed that sentiment at Cambridge is in favor of such a game.

Pilgrims Beat Tech, 13-5.

The Pilgrim A. A. defeated Technology, 13 to 5, in the opening hockey match of the season at the Arena. Tech was outclassed and clearly showed the lack of practice.

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School Notes.

Clarence Little, the former Harvard track captain, has been elected coach at Noble & Greenough School and expects to turn out a strong team. Captain Robert Whitney is the only "N" man back, but the new material looks promising.

At Manager Wingersky's first call for candidates for the E. H. S. swimming team, forty-five reported all togged out for their first plunge in Curtis Hall tank, Jamaica Plain, where practice will be held every Tuesday and Friday. "E" boys who reported were: Captain Santosuosso, Casey, Sheppard, Algar, Sundberg, McCafferty, Christie and McNamara. Brooks, Cohen, Sylington, Frumara, McDonald and Hoffman, member of the East Boston Swimming Club.

Over half a hundred men are out for track at South Boston High. Most of this number are juniors and intermediates. No track captain has been elected, but a leader will be chosen shortly. But one dual meet—and that with Dorchester—has been arranged, because of the scarcity of senior material. Leading candidates are Skayan, Muldoon, Farrell, McMahon, Kennedy, Ridge, Drury and Leveile.

Milton High will be represented by a hockey team this season. The school could not support two athletic teams and hockey was the choice of the boys over basketball. Chandler, who was elected captain, left school, but a new leader will be chosen today.

The candidates for the Boston Latin School swimming team will not be called out until January 1, when Captain Edmund O'Callinghan will ask them to gather at the Curtis Hall tank at Jamaica Plain. There are a number of good swimmers among those who have signified their intention of trying for the team.

Manager George McLaughlin of the Brookline High School hockey team announced the following schedule today:

January 6, Huntington School at Brookline; January 13, Mechanic Arts High at Brookline; January 16, Somerville High at Brookline; January 21, Boston Latin at Brookline; January [illegible], Malden High at Brookline; January 28, St. Mark's at Southboro; January 31 open; February 3, Newton High at Brookline; February 12, Boston College at Brookline; February 14, St. George's School at Newport, R. I.; February 16, English High at Brookline; February 18, Rindge Technical at Brookline; February 23, Melrose High at Melrose; February 27, Cambridge Latin at Boston Arena; March 2, Arlington High at Brookline.

Somerville High's hockey schedule follows:

*Jan. 2, Rindge Technical at Boston Arena; Jan. 5, Boston Latin at Somerville; Jan. 7, [illegible] High at Somerville; *Jan. 9, Arlington High at Boston Arena; Jan. 12, Huntington School at Somerville; Jan. 14, St. John's Prep. at Danvers; Jan. 16, Brookline High at Brookline; Jan. 17, Pomfret at Pomfret, Ct.; Jan. 20, Revere High at Somerville; *Jan. 23, Melrose High at Boston Arena; Jan. 24, Worcester Academy at Worcester; Jan. 28, Medford High at Somerville; *Jan. 30, Rindge Technical at Boston Arena; Feb. 2, open; Feb. 4, St. Mark's School at Southboro; *Feb. 6, Arlington High at Boston Arena; Feb. 9, Newton High at Brae Burn; Feb. 12, Cambridge Latin at Somerville; Feb. 16, Stoneham High at Somerville; Feb. 18, Medford High at Medford; *Feb. 20, Melrose High at Boston Arena.

*Interscholastic League.

Just as soon as ice forms at Franklin Field a call will be issued for candidates for the Boston Latin School hockey team. A number of veterans are available, including Captain Ben Murray, Madden, Enwright, Elston, Martin, Fitzgibbons and Cahill. The season's schedule is as follows:

Dec. 19, Rindge Technical at Cambridge; Dec. 23, Cambridge Latin at Cambridge; Jan. 5, Somerville High at Somerville; Jan. 10, St. John's Prep at Danvers; Jan. 15, Boston College High at Eustis Street Playground; Jan. 21, Brookline High at Brookline; Jan. 30, Newton High at New Brae-Burn; Feb. 7, Hudson High at Hudson; Feb. 11, Mechanic Arts High at Franklin Field; Feb. 17, Brighton High at Franklin Field; Feb. 28, English High at Arena.

Manager Tyng of the Groton School baseball team has arranged a schedule of 15 games for next Spring, the first to be played with Noble & Greenough School on April 11. Two games are slated with Middlesex School, while the final game, that with St. Mark's, which is the most important on the list, will be played May 27.

The dates follow:

April 11—Noble & Greenough.
April 15—Lowell Textile.
April 18—Worcester N. High.
April 22—Worcester E. High.
April 25—Boston Latin.
April 27—Cambridge Theological.
April 29—Middlesex at Concord.
May 2—Worcester High [illegible]
May 6—[illegible]
May 9—Worcester Classical.
May 13—[illegible]
May 16—Harvard Second.
May 20—Lawrence Academy.
May 23—[illegible]
May 27—St. Mark's.

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HOWARD JONES WILL CONTINUE AS YALE COACH

NEW HAVEN, Ct., Dec. 11.—Yale football plans for 1914 will be discussed next Saturday evening when Nelson Talbott, the newly elected captain, will meet a dozen former captains and prominent players at Hotel Taft. Talbott said today that no definite plans would be framed and that he would not announce either his coaching staff for next season or outline his policy for some time. It is believed, however, that Talbott will appoint as his head field coach next Fall Howard Jones, who directed the campaign this past Fall.

Among the former Eli stars asked to meet him Saturday are Walter Camp, "Pa" Corbin, Burr Chamberlain, or Billy Bull, Lucius Bigelow and Jack Field.

Billy Bull will remain here all the Winter and Spring, coaching the kickers in every department of the punting game. Bull will practically take up his residence in this city and will be available as a regular backfield coach.

It is expected that Bull will become a permanent power in Yale athletic coaching.

Arlington Star Out for "Aggies" Seven

AMHERST, Dec. 11.—Fifty candidates, including five veterans and Buttrick, the former Arlington High School goal, have come out for the Massachusetts "Aggies" hockey team. The squad expects to work outdoors by the end of the week. The schedule, as arranged by Manager Pellett, follows:

December 19, Williams at Williamstown; December 20, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute at Troy, N. Y.; January 9, West Point at West Point; January 10, Dartmouth at Hanover; January 14, [illegible] at Boston; January 17, Holy Cross at Worcester; January 21, Springfield T. S. at Springfield; January 31, Amherst at Amherst; February 4, [illegible] at Amherst; February 4, Cornell at Ithaca; February 11, Springfield T. S. at Amherst; February 13, M. I. T. at Amherst.

Dartmouth-Penn Game Here in 1915

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 11.—Truxton Hare's re-election as chairman of the Penn football committee means that Penn and Dartmouth will sign a two-year contract in football, to play at Philadelphia in 1914 and at Boston in 1915. L. Geyelin was re-elected president of the Athletic Association for the twentieth consecutive term. Dr. R. E. Torrey was elected vice president, R. E. Lamberton secretary, and John C. Gilpin treasurer.

Operate on Ritchie; Title Bout Is Off

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—A nasal abscess which necessitated an operation yesterday on Willie Ritchie, lightweight champion, resulted in calling off the scheduled 20-round fight last night between Ritchie and Harlem Tommy Murphy. In spite of this fact and a drizzling rain, Ritchie was willing that the fight should proceed. The promoter, however, declared the fight off altogether.

Crimson Hockey Squad Cut to 24

Coach Winsor has made his first cut in the Harvard hockey squad. The men retained are as follows: Carnochan, Ervin, Washburn, Willetts, Brown, Cunningham, C. S. Clark, McKinnock, Williams, Claflin, Doty, Smart, Morgan, Devereaux, Hopkins, Curtis, Rercroft, Philips, Wanamaker, Adams, Saltonstall, Trainor, Rumsey, S. P. Clark.

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Wilson Helps Girl Find Hair Comb

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—President Wilson is [illegible] the [illegible] for [illegible] Rock Creek Park [illegible] Miss Ruth Donaldson [illegible] from her [illegible] the high grass [illegible] to find a [illegible] hair comb.

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Why not give the little ones something of practical use this Christmas? Give them an article of wearing apparel which will last and give real service and pleasure throughout the year. What can you think of better than a stylish rain garment?

Girls' Rain Capes, [illegible] 79c	Girls' Mercerized Poplin Coats, with detach[illegible] $5 value, 2.98
Boys' and Girls' Rubber Coats, [illegible] 1.19	Boys' Double Texture Slip-Ons, $5 value, 2.50
Girls' Satin Capes, [illegible] 1.59	Boys' Black Rubber Coats, $[illegible] value, 2.50

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ELDRIDGE MAY GET ESTATE OF BURNED COUPLE

AUGUSTA, Me., Dec. 11.—The wills of Albert and Addie Eldridge, who were burned to death in their home at West Gardiner and on the suspicion of [illegible] whose death their son, Fernald, is held [illegible] have been filed for probate.

The wills of the couple left the entire estate to [illegible] cutting off the son with a gift of $5. The estate [illegible] about $4,000 in Augusta banks and the homestead, which is valued at an equal amount.

Frank G. Farrington, Eldridge's lawyer, at once filed a petition to be appointed special administrator of the two estates. Should the son be exonerated it is conceded that the property would go to him as the legal heir.

Augustin Littlefield and Rita [illegible] have identified young Eldridge as the one who got on the [illegible] car at Spear's Corner on the morning of the tragedy. Littlefield said he noticed Eldridge shortly after 7 o'clock and watched him from [illegible] until 8 o'clock, when Eldridge boarded the car. Miss [illegible] said Eldridge was in the car when she entered it after [illegible] L. Brann, a town [illegible] said he passed Spear's Corner going toward Lewiston about 7:30 and saw Eldridge waiting on the platform. He said he knew Eldridge personally.

There will be no arraignment, it is said, until after the report of Professor [illegible] of Bowdoin College is received. He is examining the organs of the bodies of the victims of the tragedy.

Cut Water Supply from Bandit Lopez

BINGHAM, Utah, Dec. 11.—Failing to starve him out quickly or to smoke him out, the sheriffs trying to capture Ralph Lopez, slayer of six men, have decided to attempt to cut off his water supply in the Utah-Apex mine.

Auto News

By J. C. KERRISON.

Every day for the last thirty days the Chalmers Motor Company of Detroit has sent out to its owners, prospects and salesmen an envelope containing a single sheet on which the merits of some one point in the new Chalmers car is dilated upon. There are thirty selling talks on the car, designed to give salesmen a lead for their dealings with customers.

It is an interesting series and is an idea that ought to help sell many of these cars. The Chalmers Company prefaced its series with the remark that the good points were not limited to thirty, but there were thirty that could be talked about specially.

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Owing to the fact that President John Wilson of the American Automobile Association is to sail for Europe on January 10 the date of the annual banquet of the Massachusetts State Automobile Association has been changed from the 15th to the 5th of January so that Mr. Wilson may be able to attend. The list of speakers will include Lieutenant Governor Gordon of Ohio, Lawrence Knox, ex-president of the A. A. A., George Diehl and A. G. Batchelder.

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The engineering department of the University of Michigan has been presented with a stripped chassis, the donation of the Studebaker Corporation of South Bend and Detroit.

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The greatest motorcycle event ever staged in the South is the coming 300-mile endurance race which is to take place on the Grand Prize automobile course at Savannah, Ga. Between thirty and forty entrants, including some of the best known dirt track riders of the country, are expected to make the start on Christmas morning.

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W. B. Fewell, Boston manager of the Oakland Motor Car Company, is at present at Pontiac, Mich., where he has gone to make arrangements for an increase in the allotment of Oakland cars to the Boston territory.

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The Chandler Motor Company and the Boston Paige-Detroit Company have established new headquarters and salesrooms at 1114 Boylston street. They will retain their service station in the Ipswich Street Garage, but hereafter the sales and executive department will be at the Boylston street building.

MR. AND MRS. ALFRED G. VANDERBILT, who will be in Boston for Park Riding School horse show tomorrow.

Mrs. A. G. Vanderbilt to Drive Horses Here

Hundreds of society people will gather at the Park Riding School on Ipswich street [illegible] to attend the annual Winter charity horse show.

Prominent among the exhibitors will be Mrs. Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt, who will drive a number of her husband's blue ribbon winners. The Vanderbilts have sent from their farm at Newport eight of their best horses.

Accompanying Mrs. Vanderbilt will be several of her friends, who will occupy ringside boxes. Mrs. Vanderbilt, who was formerly Mrs. Margaret Emerson McKim of Baltimore, is well known in horse show circles.

She made her first appearance at a horse show in New England at the Brockton Fair last Fall. She is considered one of the most expert horsewomen in the country.

Mayor's Secretary Reunites Family

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—Mrs. Effie Sullivan found a good friend in the person of Edward Rainey, secretary to Mayor Rolph, through whose efforts she will be reunited with her three children, Ivy, eight, Ivan, seven, and Alvina, four.

Hunt South Boston Man Gone 5 Weeks

The disappearance of Leonard Booth of No. 607 East Fourth street, South Boston, who left five weeks ago for Rochester, N. Y., is being investigated by the police. Mrs. Booth says he had been [illegible].

Dickeys Initiate Football Heroes

The Dickey Society initiated Harvard's sophomore class football players. The men, who were made to roll on the asphalt, said it was no worse than the Harvard-Princeton game.

Turk Grand Vizier Quits in Army Row

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 11.—Prince Said Halim, the grand vizier, has resigned in consequence of differences arising between him and his colleagues on the government's military policy.

100 Argentine Boys May Attend Harvard

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Argentina may send more than 100 students to the United States to take advantage of the work in Harvard, Yale, Princeton and other universities here. Recommendations have been made to the Argentine Congress providing for the sending of high grade students from the four national universities of Argentina.

Specimen of Laziest Animal Is Captured

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—The University of California has the laziest animal in captivity anywhere in the world. It is a mountain beaver, and while it has eyes and ears, it can neither see nor hear. Scientists speak of it as the aplodontia. Curator Taylor considers it a rare specimen of an ancient animal group.

Captain Ballinger Transferred to Hub

Captain J. C. Ballinger, commander of the revenue cutter Bear in Pacific waters, has been detached from his command and assigned to Boston, according to a Washington dispatch. He is now at San Francisco, having just arrived there from his cruise to Point Barrow, Alaska.

Father John's Medicine

Cures throat and lungs

NO ALCOHOL OR INJURIOUS DRUGS.

MURRAY GIVES SHERIFF QUINN 22-CENT MENU

This is the menu on which the government [illegible] men at the [illegible] has been sent by Representative Murray to Sheriff Quinn, who wanted to know how [illegible] twenty-two cents [illegible]

Breakfast [illegible] potatoes, coffee, [illegible]

[illegible] pepper, [illegible], crackers, [illegible] coffee, [illegible] butter, [illegible]

Supper: Fried liver and onions, [illegible]

[illegible] said Mr. Murray [illegible]

As [illegible] 1898," said Mr. Murray, "[illegible] Boston to [illegible] for [illegible] on the [illegible] we had the [illegible] At first it [illegible] not seem good to me, but it appealed [illegible] to my taste as I got used to it."

Canadian Leader Fears Woman's Vote

VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 11.—Sir Richard McBride, in refusing to introduce a [illegible] declared he did not dare to take such a step, as he was afraid that if women got the vote [illegible] he also added it would be [illegible] to suppose that [illegible] from a woman's party and [illegible] to run the affairs of the country.

Pardoned Slayer Goes to Brother

William C. Brown of Clinton, the life prisoner at the Charlestown State prison, who was pardoned by Governor Foss and the executive council after serving [illegible] years for murdering his wife, started today for the South, where he will make his home with his brother.

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Distress, Nausea, Heartburn, Etc.

Sugar-coated tablets, 10c., 25c., $1. They'll do you good.

O'MEARA SEEKS TO PLACE BLAME FOR CELL DEATH

Police Commissioner O'Meara is today expected to demand of Captain James [illegible] a special report on the death of John Leary in a cell at the Lagrange street station following Leary's arrest on a charge of drunkenness.

It is the first death in a police station since the order requiring every prisoner to be searched and examined for injuries before being placed in a cell went into effect.

Medical Examiner Leary performs an autopsy on the body today. The dead man was forty-five years old. His address has not been learned. He was found under the influence of liquor in front of No. 171 Kneeland street, taken to the station house, booked and locked in a cell. About an hour later Dr. Williams, the police surgeon, was called and pronounced him dead. The body is at the City Hospital Morgue.

Miss Buttrick Quits Y. W. C. A.

After thirty-nine years of continuous service to the Young Women's Christian Association, Miss Sarah J. Buttrick, the financial secretary of the association, tendered her resignation to the board of managers. She inaugurated the first cooking school for girls in New England.

Let Out $8,000,000 Tunnel Contract

DENVER, Col., Dec. 11.—A railroad contract for eight million dollars has been let to the tunnel-driving firm of James A. McIlwee & Sons of Denver. They have agreed to drive ten miles of tunnel for the Canadian Pacific Railway in the Province of British Columbia. Work will start January 1, and must be completed within three years.

The contract is said to be the largest tunnel job ever let in America.

Civil Service Reform Leaders Laud Work

The thirty-third annual meeting [illegible] National Civil Service Reform [illegible] began its two days' session today [illegible] public meeting at the Hotel Vendome. Governor Baldwin of Connecticut, [illegible] dent Lowell of Harvard, [illegible] Woodruff, secretary of the National Municipal League, Garrett Droppers of the Massachusetts Civil Service Commission, [illegible] W. Page, director of the Bureau of [illegible] Roads, Department of Agriculture, Robert D. Jenks, president of the [illegible] will read papers.

TAKE SALTS IF YOUR BACK HURTS SAYS DRUGS EXCITE THE KIDNEYS

Salts harmless to flush Kidneys and neutralize uric acid, thus ending Bladder trouble.

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salts, which removes the body's urinous waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drink lots of water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate clogged kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure, makes a delightful effervescent lithia water drink which every one should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this, also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache.

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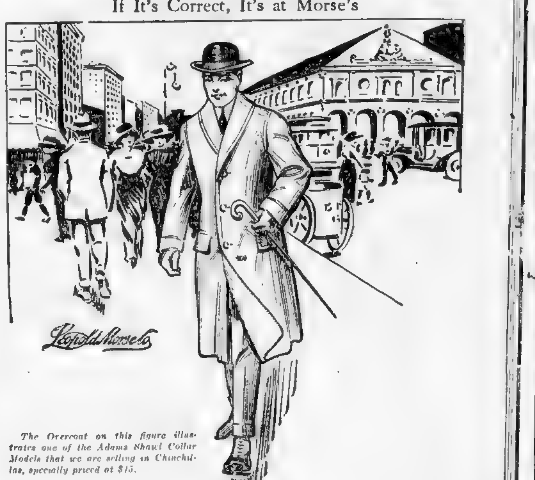

The Overcoat on this figure illustrates one of the Adams Shawl Collar Models that we are selling in Chinchillas, specially priced at $15.

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With our customary thoroughness we have provided long, stout and short sizes, as well as regulars.

At $15 we have also an exceptionally large assortment of kerseys, meltons and friezes for those men who prefer more conservative styles.

Practical suggestions for acceptable Christmas gifts are displayed in great profusion in our Furnishing Dep't.

Leopold Morse Co.

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The Home Beauty Parlor

by Betty Dean

Etta Lee: The young man was rude, but it is a fact that men object to seeing their women friends with evidence of having too recently "primped." Ordinary face powder does show plainly, and the average man objects to it. My suggestion to you would be to use Spurmax. It is a liquid lotion which you can make and has all the advantages of face powder and none of the objectionable features. It will not show or rub off and never looks "streaked." Get from your druggist 4 ounces of spurmax and dissolve it in ½ pint hot water. Add 2 teaspoonfuls glycerine. This will make a liberal supply of a pleasing lotion which will protect your skin from wind and cold as well as beautify your complexion.

Georgene: I always advise against the use of soap for shampooing the hair. I'm glad you know its dangers. Canthrox is my stand-by for a shampoo, and I'm sure it will be yours after this trial. It is a very simple preparation and an original package is enough for 15 shampoos. Put only a teaspoonful in a cup of hot water to make a delightful, fragrant lather. There is nothing like it for making each strand light, fluffy and brilliant. In time you will find such an improvement that you will not need to use any artificial hair or switch. Canthrox makes the hair dry easily.

Miss L. Smith: If looking in your mirror discourages you lately, it does not prove that you are permanently losing your good looks. The probabilities are that you are only temporarily run down, a condition very common as cold weather approaches, and I would urge you to try this simple home-made tonic. Dissolve an ounce of kardene in half a pint of alcohol, add one-half cup of sugar and enough hot water to make a full quart. Take a tablespoonful before each meal. It will restore your beauty, and with the new blood and strength it will give you, I prophesy a speedy return to your good looks and fine spirits.

Valaze: I do not approve radical measures for beautifying the eyes. Here is a home-made remedy which has done wonders for weak, inflamed or watery eyes. Dissolve an ounce of crystos in a pint of water, put two or three drops in each eye two or three times a day. This will enable you to put off the evil hour of wearing glasses and besides being soothing and restful to the vision, will emphasize the expression and give sparkle and charm to the eyes.

Grace: Your threat to wear a wig sounds funny nowadays, when with a little care nobody needs to have thin or falling tresses. There is no better hair tonic known to science than you can make at home by dissolving an ounce of quinzoin in half a pint of alcohol and then adding half a pint of cold water. The use of this tonic is agreeable and pleasant. It will not make the hair become sticky or greasy and is the best known help to prevent premature grayness or loss of hair. For a good shampoo see answer to Georgene.

Primrose: The right weight for a woman of five feet four is 112 pounds. You cannot with ease or grace carry more, especially nowadays when the styles demand slimness. But don't risk excessive exercising or strict dieting; they will bring down your strength. Try parnotis. Get 4 ounces of this old, reliable remedy at your drug store. Dissolve it in 1½ pints water and take a tablespoonful before meals. I have advised this often with excellent results.

Blue Bell: It is never any trouble to me to answer questions about wrinkles and the complexion. It is a hobby with me that a woman need not be lined prematurely or lose her beauty. Here is one of the finest things I know to remove wrinkles and make the skin velvety, soft and smooth: Stir one ounce almozoin in half a pint of cold water; add two teaspoonfuls glycerine. Let it stand a few hours and apply freely. It is matchless for massage and reducing the pores. Avoid greasy cold creams.

Betty Dean's Beauty Book, $5. (Adv.)

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Murray Prepares for Postoffice Job

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Representative William F. Murray of Massachusetts is following closely the work of the committee on postoffices with a view to familiarizing himself with the duties of the postmaster at Boston and the make-up of the annual appropriation for the Boston postoffice. Postmaster General Burleson has not yet decided when he will call for the resignation of Postmaster Mansfield. The change is expected early in January.

Invite Boston Men on Seamen's Bill

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—New England seafaring men have been invited to appear before the committee on merchant marine and fisheries on next Saturday and Monday when the seamen's bill will be given a hearing. The excursion steamship companies of Boston are opposed to that portion of the bill which require them to have lifeboats sufficient to guarantee every passenger with a seat. The Boston and Nantasket Steamship Company and Chamber of Commerce committees are among those invited.

HEALTH BOARDS DEMAND POWER OVER GROCERS

Dr. Alexander Burr of the Boston Board of Health and Drs. [illegible] Rose[illegible] and Mark W. Richardson of the State Board [illegible] at a meeting of the [illegible] of the Women's Municipal [illegible] [illegible] the unsanitary condition of [illegible] and small markets of Boston [illegible] the State Board and the local board have their powers [illegible].

The conditions of these [illegible] on startling revelations made in a study which Professor Thomas McCracken has been [illegible] every shop where groceries, vegetables, [illegible] and fish are being sold.

It was declared [illegible] shop and [illegible] menace to public [illegible] than were the tenement house sweat shops before the reform which [illegible] them.

The investigators [illegible] of shops. One [illegible] of markets and provision [illegible] district of the [illegible]

	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Charlestown	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
East Boston	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
South Boston	[illegible]	114	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dorchester	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Roxbury	412	[illegible]	177	[illegible]
Jamaica Plain	48	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
West Roxbury	83	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Brighton	70	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
City proper	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	187
Total	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

The figures as compiled by McCracken show that in the City of Boston out of 2,447 shops [illegible] "bad," a menace to the health of the immediate neighborhood and to the whole community.

Five hundred and sixty six shops where food is sold are directly connected with living rooms, 234 are below the street level.

Kill Watchman, Then Loot Safe

AVOCA, Pa., Dec. 11.—Robbers killed Watchman Stephen Lucas at the offices of the Pennsylvania Coal Company early today, rifled the safe, robbed the clothing of the dead man and escaped.

Probe Stabbing Mystery.

GLOUCESTER, Dec. 11.—William Edwards, a sailor, received a cut in his back and a knife wound under his left ear when attacked by an unknown man. The police are searching for the assail[illegible]

Donahue May Fight Curley's Re-election

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—[illegible] Mayor of Boston [illegible] gressional election next fall.

Warn Poultry Men on Care in Handling

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—[illegible] season.

Harvard Dramatic Club Plays Tonight

The Harvard Dramatic Club gives the first [illegible]

Alaunia Leaves Port on First Trip

The new Cunard liner Alaunia, commanded by Captain Arthur H. Rostron, hero of the Titanic disaster, will make her first trip out of the port of Boston today. Thousands of dollars in money, which has been sent to foreign countries for Christmas, will be taken out on the Cunarder.

Black Hand Bomb Alarm Clock for 100

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—A "Black Hand" bomb exploded in the vestibule of the apartment house No. 404 East One Hundred and Forty-third street, today, and aroused about one hundred persons from their beds.

ASK 8 O'CLOCK CURFEW NOW IN EAST BOSTON

East Boston [illegible] instead of 9, as has been suggested.

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[illegible]

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TOMORROW 8 to 11, AIDA. Mmes. Amsden, Dalvarez, MM. Constantino, Ancona, Ludikar, Sampieri. Cond., Moranzoni.
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NEXT SUN. NIGHT, 8 to 10.
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Robin, Jan Jerville, Grand. Orchestra of 75. Prices 25c to $2.
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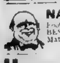

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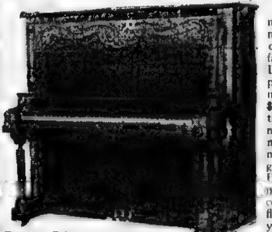

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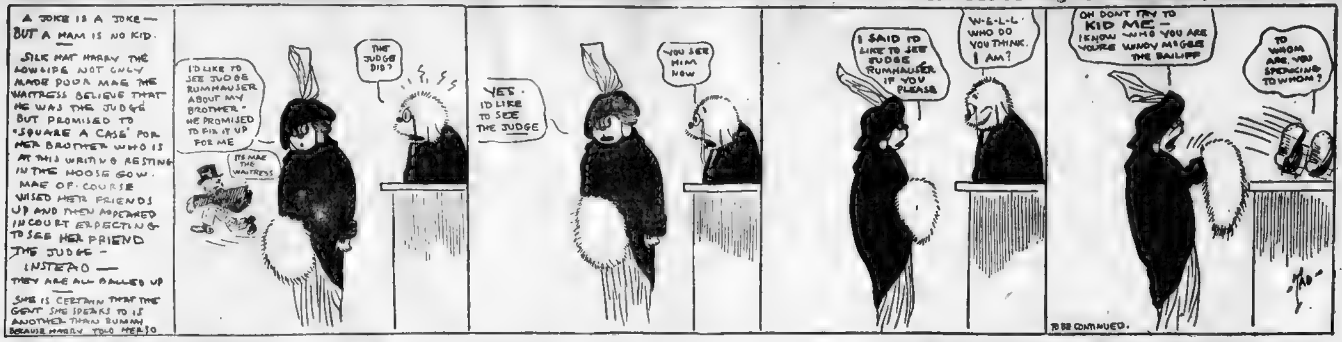
A JOKE IS A JOKE— BUT A HAM IS NO KID.
SILK HAT HARRY THE LOWLIFE NOT ONLY MADE POOR MAE THE WAITRESS BELIEVE THAT HE WAS THE JUDGE BUT PROMISED TO "SQUARE A CASE" FOR HER BROTHER WHO IS AT THIS WRITING RESTING IN THE HOOSE GOW. MAE OF COURSE WISED HER FRIENDS UP AND THEN APPEARED IN COURT EXPECTING TO SEE HER FRIEND THE JUDGE — INSTEAD — THEY ARE ALL BALLED UP
SHE IS CERTAIN THAT THE GENT SHE SPEAKS TO IS ANOTHER THAN RUMMY BECAUSE HARRY TOLD HER SO
I'D LIKE TO SEE JUDGE RUMHAUSER ABOUT MY BROTHER — HE PROMISED TO FIX IT UP FOR ME
IT'S MAE THE WAITRESS
THE JUDGE DID?
YES. I'D LIKE TO SEE THE JUDGE
YOU SEE HIM NOW
I SAID I'D LIKE TO SEE JUDGE RUMHAUSER IF YOU PLEASE
W-E-L-L WHO DO YOU THINK I AM?
OH DON'T TRY TO KID ME — I KNOW WHO YOU ARE YOU'RE WINDY McGEE THE BAILIFF
TO WHOM ARE YOU SPEAKING TO WHOM?
TAD
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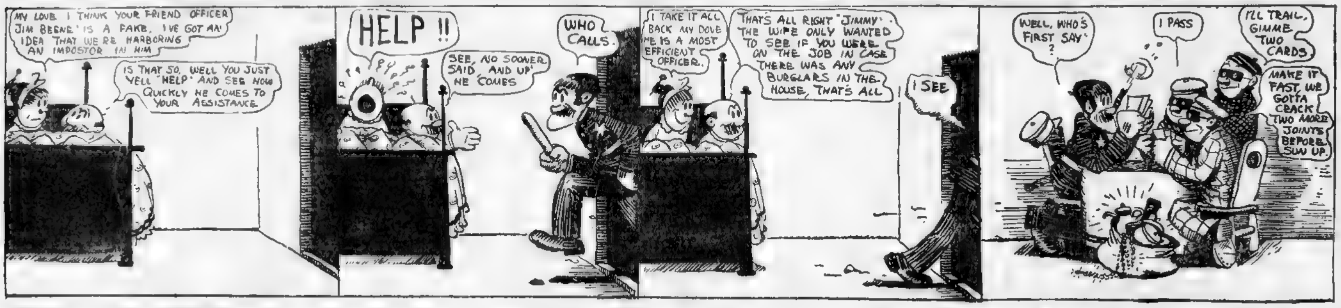
You See for Yourself Officer Beene's Awake


MY LOVE I THINK YOUR FRIEND OFFICER JIM BEENE IS A FAKE. I'VE GOT AN IDEA THAT WE'RE HARBORING AN IMPOSTOR IN HIM
IS THAT SO. WELL YOU JUST YELL "HELP" AND SEE HOW QUICKLY HE COMES TO YOUR ASSISTANCE
HELP !!
SEE, NO SOONER SAID AND UP HE COMES
WHO CALLS.
I TAKE IT ALL BACK MY DOVE HE IS A MOST EFFICIENT OFFICER.
THAT'S ALL RIGHT "JIMMY" THE WIFE ONLY WANTED TO SEE IF YOU WERE ON THE JOB IN CASE THERE WAS ANY BURGLARS IN THE HOUSE, THAT'S ALL
I SEE
WELL, WHO'S FIRST SAY ?
I PASS
I'LL TRAIL, GIMME TWO CARDS
MAKE IT FAST, WE GOTTA CRACK TWO MORE JOINTS BEFORE SUN UP.

POLLY AND HER PALS

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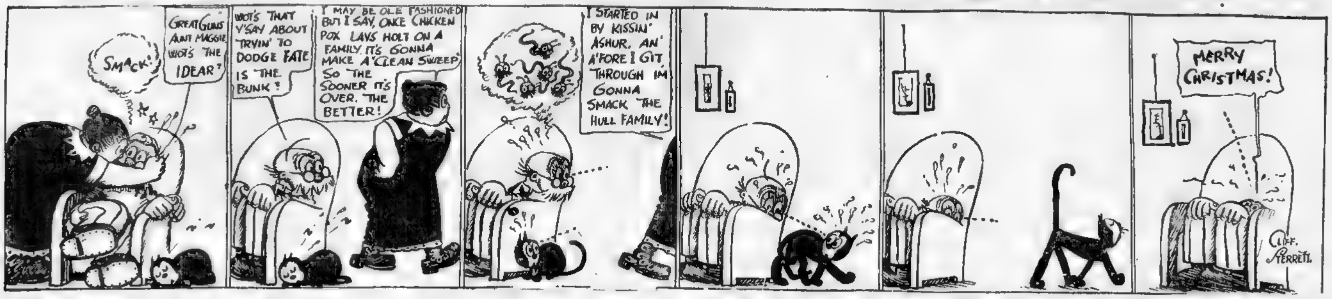
Aunt Maggie's Making Chickens of 'Em All


SMACK!
GREAT GUNS AUNT MAGGIE WOT'S THE IDEAR?
WOT'S THAT Y'SAY ABOUT TRYIN' TO DODGE FATE IS THE BUNK!
I MAY BE OLE FASHIONED BUT I SAY, ONCE CHICKEN POX LAYS HOLT ON A FAMILY IT'S GONNA MAKE A CLEAN SWEEP SO THE SOONER IT'S OVER THE BETTER!
I STARTED IN BY KISSIN' ASHUR, AN' A'FORE I GIT THROUGH I'M GONNA SMACK THE HULL FAMILY!
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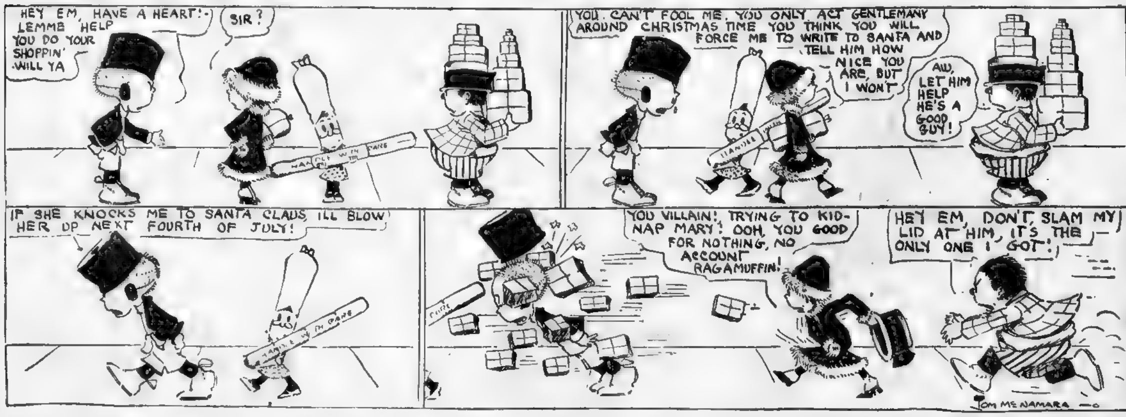
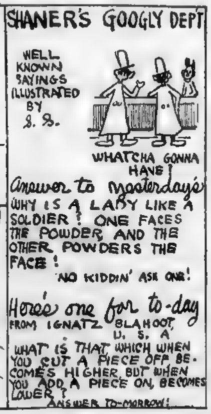

HEY EM, HAVE A HEART! — LEMME HELP YOU DO YOUR SHOPPIN' WILL YA
SIR?
HANDLE WITH CARE
YOU CAN'T FOOL ME, YOU ONLY ACT GENTLEMANY AROUND CHRISTMAS TIME YOU THINK YOU WILL FORCE ME TO WRITE TO SANTA AND TELL HIM HOW NICE YOU ARE, BUT I WON'T
AW, LET HIM HELP HE'S A GOOD GUY!
IF SHE KNOCKS ME TO SANTA CLAUS, I'LL BLOW HER UP NEXT FOURTH OF JULY!
YOU VILLAIN! TRYING TO KIDNAP MARY! OOH, YOU GOOD FOR NOTHING, NO ACCOUNT RAGAMUFFIN!
HEY EM, DON'T SLAM MY LID AT HIM, IT'S THE ONLY ONE I GOT!
TOM McNAMARA


SHANER'S GOOGLY DEPT
WELL KNOWN SAYINGS ILLUSTRATED BY S. S.
WHATCHA GONNA HAVE!

Answer to yesterday's

WHY IS A LADY LIKE A SOLDIER? ONE FACES THE POWDER AND THE OTHER POWDERS THE FACE!

NO KIDDIN' ASK ONE!

Here's one for to-day

FROM IGNATZ BLAHOOT, U. S. A.

WHAT IS THAT WHICH WHEN YOU CUT A PIECE OFF BECOMES HIGHER, BUT WHEN YOU ADD A PIECE ON, BECOMES LOWER?

ANSWER TO-MORROW!

Krazy Kat

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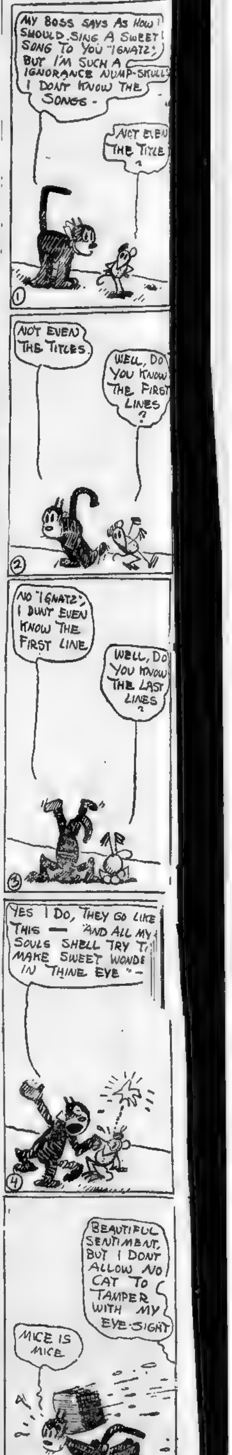
A Mouse Is a Mouse


MY BOSS SAYS AS HOW I SHOULD SING A SWEET SONG TO YOU "IGNATZ" BUT I'M SUCH A IGNORANCE NUMP-SKULL I DON'T KNOW THE SONGS -
NOT EVEN THE TITLE ?
①
NOT EVEN THE TITLES.
WELL, DO YOU KNOW THE FIRST LINES ?
②
NO "IGNATZ" I DON'T EVEN KNOW THE FIRST LINE
WELL, DO YOU KNOW THE LAST LINES ?
③
YES I DO, THEY GO LIKE THIS — "AND ALL MY SOULS SHELL TRY T MAKE SWEET WONDE IN THINE EYE" -
④
BEAUTIFUL SENTIMENT, BUT I DON'T ALLOW NO CAT TO TAMPER WITH MY EYE-SIGHT
MICE IS MICE
⑤

Tears, Idle Tears Tomorrow

AT BAY

A THRILLING STORY OF SOCIETY BLACKMAILERS

(NOVELIZED BY)

A. A. Waterbury

(From the play by George Scarborough, now being presented in New York [illegible] and copyrighted by International News Service.)

He had a sudden instinct to hide his box of shameful letters in his safe, but as he started a paroxysm of pain marred his face beyond its usual evil and saturnine leer.

"Oh—pardon," he said, pressing his hand in grave pain to a heart weakened by years of unholy excitement.

PARLEYING FOR A SOUL

Aline ignored his pain. Her own was grave enough. She could have no sympathy for such as he.

"I phoned you," she said coolly. Her blood was throbbing in wild fear. She was alone, late at night, with Washington's master fiend, the blackmailer of society—the creature who fed full on the loves and sorrows of his fellows, whose heartlessness was sated because men and women had foolish, erring, loving hearts.

[illegible] his sufferings.

"Sit down," said he.

The girl continued to stand, slender, alluring, at the side of his great oaken desk.

"Please let me see that letter you say you have."

"Sit down, Miss Graham."

"I must hurry!"

"We won't be disturbed here." He said it with slow emphasis with poisoned innuendo.

"Let me see that letter—if you have it," replied the girl impatiently.

"Presently." The man sat down with impudent sang froid, and scrutinized her with admiration that fairly reeked of insult to the girl alone with this unsavory creature in his den.

"Please hurry!"

"You're a pretty woman, Miss Graham!" he insinuated.

"I didn't come here for that, sir." The girl [illegible] dignity—she must [illegible] how she feared [illegible]

"More beautiful than the lady in my picture—good painting—Salon—Paris!" He pointed to a magnificent portrait of "Justice" satirically hung above the portals of his injustice. His finger was on the electric button that controlled the camera and flashlight. When his visitor turned to look at the picture she would be posed full face for the camera. Aline Graham would soon be photographed in his gallery of immortals, thought Judson Flagg, and, like his other victims, she would be powerless to deny that she was a client of his.

But Aline did not turn. The plate in the camera was saved for later, more fiendish work!

"I haven't time for pictures—I must hurry. You know it—— Please let me see the letter and go."

"You said over the phone you hadn't written any letter you were afraid of!" Flagg enjoyed prolonging the torture of this pretty victim.

"I haven't!"

"Then why are you here?"

"If you have such a letter it's a forgery!" the girl declared.

"Why didn't you forge a marriage certificate? One of them covers a multitude of sins!" The man was sneering openly now.

The girl struggled for self-mastery. This creature should not—must not—guess the extent to which her terror of [illegible] was growing. His daring insult and the abyss of shame which gaped before her anguished eyes at his words must loom before her eyes alone. He must not know—he must not guess how he was terrifying her.

"You said you had a letter of mine—I've come to see that. If you won't let me see it. I'm going! Please hurry."

But haste was not at all to Flagg's mind. The girl was pretty—she was fair game for his chaffing. This promised to be sport of a sort as dear as the blackmailer's very self to his cankered old heart. He rose in leisurely fashion, crossed to his safe, unlocked his japanned tin treasure-trove—and slowly selected a pale pink epistle from its contents.

Pink! The color of the rosy tinted young dreams of the girl who had written it after those dreams were meeting rude awakening, and the dreams were bitterly black and gloomy, with only the hope of a kinder tinted lining behind.

The man was consulting a red morocco book that contained an index of shame—an "index expurgatorius" it should have been. He fingered it and read aloud cynically, while the tortured girl wondered how soon some one would come—and discover her here. Why had she come? She questioned her own heart. Why had she not trusted stronger hands to guide her course? It was too late now. She must go on—and on to the depths and abysses of which she had no illuminating moment of "shadow before."

THE BOOK OF SHAME

Flagg was reading from his shameful red book—reading with shameless enjoyment: "Graham—Aline—that's it. You ladies, Miss Graham, seem to go upon the theory that indiscretion is the better part of love—but that's a mistake, the next time be sure to steer your gentleman friend against a magistrate and a certificate—prosaic, but safer—and in the end—cheaper—at least, for the woman. Ah, here it is—Woolworth—Graham! Does that recall anything to you?"

"Woolworth—Graham"—did that recall anything to her? In the midst of her present agony the girl recalled those other days of vivid agony—the days of horror and shame and useless regret that had followed hard upon the glowing days of love and hope and trust—and—the three days a lifetime ago—the days that had brought her into the toils of Judson Flagg this night—the days that forbade her ever to dream of the love and protecting care of her man of all men—Captain Larry Holbrook, soldier and gentleman.

Flagg dropped the book back in the box, locked his treasure trove, hid it safely away in its fastness and came back to the desk of intrigue with the little pink missive in his claw like, clutching hands.

The pink letter! It was to claim it—to regain it—that Aline Graham had dared name and fame and fate tonight.

"Oh, let me see it!" The words fairly leaped of themselves from the girl's fast beating heart to her trembling lips.

To Be Continued Tomorrow.

Every Man's Conscience Talks in Too Small a Voice to Suit His Wife

THE AMERICAN'S MAGAZINE PAGE

The Manicure Lady

By WILLIAM F. KIRK

"MY brother has gone moony over another dame," said the Manicure Lady. "She is a widow that just came from Chicago and is visiting up to the house, having went to school with mother years and years ago. She treats Wilfred nice and kind, because she is the kind of a woman that would be nice to children, but if she ever dreamed that he was in love with her I guess she would laugh herself into hysterics."

"Maybe he don't love her at all," suggested the Head Barber. "I used to think I loved my teacher when I was a kid."

"I told Wilfred that it was calf love and he nearly slammed me," said the Manicure Lady. "I never seen him lose his head so quick and so complete. He went into his room and came out with five dollars that he borrowed from me last week, and fairly threw it at me. I caught it, too. He said that I had the heart and soul of a molyecule, whatever that is, and ain't spoke to me since, but I guess he'll get over it when he gets over his delucination.

"I copped a piece of poetry that he wrote about her, too. Maybe he wouldn't have a fit if he knew I had it! This widow has snow white hair, and it ain't immaturely gray either, to my notion, but Wilfred thinks it must have turned white in a single night, from some sudden fears. He read something like that once in a poem. Well, all he can think about is that wondrous hair. Listen to this, George:

"Fair nymph with hair of dazzling white,
Filled with the glory of the night,
The Queen of Egypt was an aristocrat,
But she never had no hair like that!"

"He don't start off with no speed," observed the Head Barber, "but maybe he finishes better."

"No, George, it gets worse," declared the Manicure Lady. "This is the second verse:

"I, who have loved full many a queen,
Call you the dearest I' ever seen.
To you I humbly take off my lid,
As to no other I have did!"

"He ain't warming up none, is he?" said the Head Barber. "Is that all?"

"There is one more verse," replied the Manicure Lady, "and it grieves me to read it and think that a brother of mine wrote it. It ends up like a lame duck getting out of a mudhole. Listen:

"So to thy white and glorious hair
I am offering up this poem prayer.
Mine that alabaster crown shall be
To worship from now until Eternity!"

"She must have some head of hair," said the Head Barber.

"That's the funny part of it, George," declared the Manicure Lady. "If anything, it's kind of minor league hair. It ain't the kind of hair that looks like a golden glory or a raven's wing or any of the hair poets used to write mush about. It is the same kind of hair you would expect to find on any nice, elderly widow, and she ain't a bit stuck up about it, either, leaving it around careless until after breakfast before she puts it on. But Wilfred doesn't know that it ain't attached, and I ain't got the heart to shatter his delusion. Poets is awful peevish when they are in love."

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The Gold Witch

The Adventures of a Golden-Haired Heiress

BY STELLA FLORES

No. 6—Dreams of the Past and Future.

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The Gold Witch finds an old harp—an instrument she loves. In the dimming twilight Tom and his father steal in to listen. As the exquisite notes throb out, shadowy pictures form in the dusk. To Tom they are visions of a happy future; to his father bitter-sweet memories of the past—of his ward's mother, whom he loved but did not marry.

Their Married Life

Warren's Brother Announces His Engagement and Helen Calls on His Fiancee

By MABEL HERBERT URNER

"DO I have to call today? Oh, I DO dread it so!"

"Got to go some time," shrugged Warren. "Might as well have it over."

"Tell me what he said about her," pleaded Helen. "He must have told you more than that."

"Oh, he reeled off a lot of stuff—the sort of thing every man says about the girl he's just engaged to. She's a nice girl, all right, but I never took much stock in her father. Puts on a lot of style."

"But they're very rich, aren't they?" conscious of a vague jealousy that Warren's brother should be marrying a girl with a fortune.

"Yes, the old man's got money. Holds on to it, too. Miserly old cuss."

"I wonder what I'd better wear," murmured Helen irrelevantly.

"We'll have to have them here to dinner." Warren always ignored Helen's questions of clothes. "You might as well invite her now."

"Oh, I know it's going to be dreadfully embarrassing. What shall I say to her? What do people say when they make such a call?"

"How do I know? Women are supposed to know about those things. Say you're glad she's coming into the family, you hope she and Bob'll be happy—the usual stuff. Well," draining his coffee cup and pushing back his chair, "shall I phone Bob that you'll call on her today?"

"Yes I—I suppose so," reluctantly following him out to the hall where he shrugged into his overcoat.

The rest of the morning Helen worried about this call on her intended sister-in-law. Not only had she never met this young girl, but Bob himself, who spent most of his time in the Chicago office of his company, seemed almost a stranger.

The engagement was not yet publicly announced, but Bob had told Warren and the rest of the family last week. Mrs. Curtis and Carrie had already called, and now Helen was to go this afternoon.

It was 4:30 when she started out. The address Warren had given was a fashionable apartment. With a shrinking dread of the ordeal before her, Helen left the car and walked toward the imposing marble-fronted structure.

A BIG RENTAL

"Ten rooms and three baths—$4,500," read a black, gilt-lettered sign by the entrance. Four thousand five hundred dollars! It was an extravagant rental, and Helen knew that Bob could not afford to keep a wife in such an apartment.

Inside the hall was lavishly ornate with carving and gilt. A uniformed, white-gloved doorman announced her on the telephone.

What should she say first? How should she begin the conversation? The big bronze elevator stopped at the ninth floor.

A trim, white-capped maid opened the door and ushered her through to a large, over-furnished, over-decorated drawing-room. Everything was expensive and aggressively new.

"More money than taste" was Helen's first impression, and with a glow of pardonable pride she thought of her own simpler apartment with its charming antiques.

Then Louise entered—a tall, slender, dark-haired girl, attractively gowned in a soft blue frock.

Blushing vividly, she came forward. Helen saw that she was painfully embarrassed, and putting aside her own self-consciousness she tried to put the girl at ease.

"I've been wanting to come to see you all week," Helen began bravely, "ever since Robert told us, but I—I," striving desperately for an excuse, "I felt you might not want callers so soon."

"I'm very happy to meet all of Bob's family, although," with a deepening flush, "it's a little embarrassing."

"Oh, I know," sympathetically. "I remember when I was engaged to Warren how I dreaded meeting his people."

HELEN IS DELIGHTED

Delighted that the conversation had taken so natural a turn, Helen told Louise about her engagement.

"I remember every detail of his mother's first call, even to her dress and her black handled parasol. It was in the Summer, she sat by a window and the curtain blew out against her face. I remember the very gesture so like Warren's—with which she kept brushing it back."

"What did you talk about?" Louise leaned forward eagerly. "Mrs. Curtis was here yesterday, and I know I must have seemed stupid."

"Well, there hadn't been any rain that Summer and we talked about that, but I felt all the time that I was being 'appraised,' that she was wondering whether I would make Warren a good wife."

"That's exactly what I felt! And when his sister called—oh, I was even more embarrassed with her than with his mother."

"Yes, I can understand that. Carrie is always a little formal." Then fearing that might sound like a criticism, Helen added hastily, "but I'm sure you'll like her when you know her better."

They were getting along famously now, the restraint and awkwardness were wearing away. Helen liked this girl, and felt instinctively that they were going to be friends.

Suddenly Louise turned to her with an impulsive

"There's something I want to ask you. I—I hardly know how to put it—it's about Bob. I mean it's about the little differences Bob and I have. I know I'm quick-tempered, and I'll take part of the blame, but we're constantly having—well, they're almost quarrels. You see Bob's so set in his views about everything—and I—I'm not exactly pliable."

Louise paused, as though expecting Helen to make some comment, then she went on with a confused little laugh.

"I wonder if two people who clash like this before they are married, even though they love each other very much, if—if they will clash afterward."

"I don't suppose there were ever two people who always agreed," murmured Helen guardedly.

THE CAUSE

"No, of course not, but if Bob would only be willing that we SHOULDN'T agree—that I should have my opinions and he his! But he insists on my always accepting his views. For instance, last night we went to the theatre, 'The Problem Unsolved'—perhaps you've seen it?"

Helen shook her head.

"Well, on the way home Bob became incensed because I wouldn't agree with his criticism of the woman's character. Of course it wasn't of any importance, but he insists on me always yielding my opinion—and I CAN'T! I don't see why I should," proudly. "You don't think I should—do you?"

Helen faltered a confused "Why no—no, of course not."

"Mr. Curtis—Warren—doesn't always expect you to yield in such things, does he?" persisted Louise. "Oh, forgive me," as Helen flushed, "I don't mean to be personal, but at times Bob's disposition almost frightens me. If I yield to him now—I feel I'll always have to. And I don't think either of us would be happy that way—do you?"

"No," there a suppressed tremor in Helen's voice, "a wife should not allow her husband to wholly dominate her. Yet it is a woman's nature to yield—particularly when she loves a great deal."

"I do love Bob a great deal, more than I ever thought I could love any one. But I'm not always going to give in to him! I don't think it would be good for either of us."

Helen longed to cry out that she was right! As she valued her happiness, she must not begin by submitting to Bob's domineering nature. She must never allow her own individuality to become submerged in that of her husband.

That this had been her own mistake, Helen knew. From the beginning she had allowed Warren's masterfulness to dominate her. She wanted to tell Louise this and a great deal more—but her sense of loyalty to Warren kept her still.

HELEN HAS REGRETS

She felt Louise's disappointment at her evasive, guarded replies. And now, as though regretting her impulsiveness to which Helen had not seemed to respond, the girl became more restrained and quickly turned the conversation to a less personal subject.

It was not until after Helen had left that she realized how almost cowardly had been her evasion. This young girl, frank, earnest, sincere, had come to her with straightforward questions of a problem which she rightly sensed might affect her whole life—and Helen had not had the courage to answer her.

For the moment Helen felt an overwhelming sense of responsibility. She was almost tempted to go back to tell Louise just what her own life with Warren had been; to warn her that if she married Bob, above everything else she must cling to her own individuality. Never must she make the mistake of merging her personality into his!

It had all been so different from what Helen had expected this call. Louise herself, and the things they talked about. Instead of the merely pretty and shallow girl that for some reason she had pictured, she had found a strong, sweet personality, a girl with the ability to think for herself.

Although Helen had seen little of Bob, she knew he had much of Warren's masterfulness, much of his forceful but selfish egotism. And this proud, high-spirited girl: what would marriage with Bob mean for her?

Would she, too, be crushed into an abject servility, a colorless reflection of her husband's dominant nature? Or would she have the courage to retain and wholesomely assert her own personality?

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HIGHEST AWARD—ST. LOUIS, 1904.

Wears Kimono to Breakfast

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

IS it proper to wear a kimono to breakfast in a boarding house? What do you mean by "proper"—what sort of a boarding house do you live in?

I have seen girls come down to breakfast in a mob cap and a boudoir jacket, and by the way they crooked their little finger and had such a time sipping their coffee, it was easy to see that they imagined themselves the most charming and fascinating of creatures—but they weren't.

They really were not—at all.

It takes the prettiest woman in the world to look pretty in a kimono—it is almost as bad as a bathing suit when it comes to showing up every defect that a girl has and ought not to have.

Besides, it really is a bit negligee for a boarding-house table—don't you think so, Morene?

It is all very well to read about the charmers in satin peignoirs and dainty gold heeled slippers—that's in a book where a girl can cry and look pretty at the same time.

Out of a book a peignoir or a kimono, or a dressing jacket, are fit for just exactly one place in the world, and that is in your own room.

NO USE

You won't fascinate the young bookkeeper who sits opposite with that kimono—you'll just make him wish you would take time to dress yourself before you come to breakfast.

Don't make any mistake, my dear, the one thing a man really admires in a real girl is modesty—if he ever gets it into his head that you are lacking in that, nothing in the world that you can do will make him really respect you again.

Get yourself a couple of neat, pretty little house dresses. You can find them in the wash frock department of any of the big stores.

THE WASH DRESS

Blue and pink and lavender and flowered—all colors, all styles, all prices—I have seen very neat, pretty little blue wash dresses for sale at a dollar and a half—get one of those, do your hair in a pretty simple knot and you'll look as sweet as a peach and feel sure that you are doing the right thing at the same time.

Hang the kimono up on the last nail in your closet and never think of wearing it outside your own room. That's a nice, sweet, sensible, modest girl.

He Was So Kind.

"Dear mon, dear mon, he was that kind!" said an old Scots woman of her husband, who had died and relieved her of the necessity of living longer with one of the surliest of husbands. "I shall never forget the last walk we took together. He says, so kind like, says he:

"'Come along, old Draggle-tail,' says he, so kind like—dear mon!"

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BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL NEWS Edited By Experts

Latest in Today's Stock Markets

By W. H. ROSS, Financial Editor.

Stocks were irregular this afternoon, but comparatively higher in New York than in Boston. New Haven had only recovered a trifle of its loss, selling at 68¼, off 4½. Its low for the day had been 67½. Boston & Maine at 41 was off 3. It had been down to 40½. American Telephone had sold as low as 115¾, but had recovered to 116¼ and was then off 2⅛. Fitchburg preferred had declined 3 to 75. Changes in the price of mining issues were few and inconsequential.

New Haven's low in New York was 67⅝, but by afternoon it was selling at 68, off 4⅜. American Telephone at 116½ was off 1½. Its low in New York was 115¾. Western Union had declined 1⅜. Pennsylvania had gone to 106⅝, but had recovered to 107¼, then showing a loss of 1¼. Gains included 1½ for American Sugar and a point for Canadian Pacific. Fractional advances had been made by Union Pacific, Lehigh Valley, American Can, Steel and Amalgamated.

New Haven a Leader.

New Haven was the market leader in New York this morning for the first time within recollection, if not in its history. Transactions in this issue during the forenoon totalled around 36,000, while trading in Steel, the second on the list, amounted to about 29,000 shares. After opening at a decline of nearly five points, it met with prompt support, presumably by certain banking interests which had no intention of permitting this stock and the list to toboggan at this time, and there was a rally. Later it made a new low.

The tone of the market was firm at the beginning and stocks were absorbed so easily that bears who had awaited their opportunity overnight, after learning that the New Haven was to pass its dividend, decided that they might easily trade themselves into a trap. They did not do it. But they remained of the opinion that as soon as the shock to the public is over that some of the support which was offered today may be lacking. A good deal to their advantage may accrue then.

Large Short Interest.

It is said there was a large short interest which made for cover during the first hour. Liquidation in New Haven appeared to be scattered and not heavy. Stockholders as a class probably believe that the road's troubles are only temporary and that nothing can prevent the recovery in valuation of such a magnificent property after its affairs have been put into better shape. People who believe in the future of New England must perforce have confidence in the New York, New Haven & Hartford.

Weakness of American Telephone was attributed to a report from Washington that President Wilson is now seriously considering the feasibility of the government taking over telephone and telegraph wires, and that he is after all facts bearing upon communication by wire.

The usual speculative leaders were steady during the morning and ruled higher at midday. American Sugar made a good gain. New England investors who had small holdings of New Haven contributed considerably to the supply of this stock, it is reported. The large holders had expected yesterday's action on the dividend and did not contribute towards the slump. One dispatch regarding the Wall Street view says it is expected there that a dividend will be paid before the end of the fiscal year, which closes on June 30, and that the disbursements for the twelve months will be sufficient to render the New Haven bonds eligible for savings bank buying.

American stocks were irregular and quiet in the London market.

There was no appreciable change in the money market here or in New York, the call rate in the latter city ranging from 5 to 5½ per cent.

Trading Narrow in Boston.

Trading was narrow in Boston, interest being centred upon New Haven. This market was but a reflex of New York. Transactions were of the small lot variety in most instances. Boston & Maine weakened and during the forenoon made a new low record, touching 40½. American Telephone was more active than usual and, as in the larger market, reflected uneasiness on the part of small stockholders over government ownership rumors. Fitchburg preferred sagged several points.

There was little movement to copper issues. It is reported there is a more active market for electrolytic in Europe, but demand in this country is slow to materialize. That is due to the contraction of general trade. Domestic inquiry has improved. In Europe large interests are quoting metal around 14⅛ cents a pound. It is said second hands in this country have offered it as low as 14⅛ cents cash New York.

Financial News in Brief.

At the morning call in the London copper warrants market, spot was up 1s 3d and futures 6s 3d. At the close there had been a further gain of 2s 6d for spot and 7s 6d for futures. Sales were 200 tons of spot and 230 of futures.

Sales of copper metal since November 25 are estimated at a total of 65,000,000 pounds.

The Bank of England's minimum rate of discount remained unchanged at 5 per cent. today and the proportion of its reserve to liabilities is 55.90 per cent. against 55.10 last week, comparing with a decline from 50⅛ to 48⅛ per cent. in the corresponding week last year.

The Bank of France reports that its gold on hand increased $257,000 for the week.

UNITED FRUIT COMPANY

DIVIDEND No. 58

A quarterly dividend of two per cent on the capital stock of this Company has been declared, payable January 15th, 1914, at the office of the Treasurer, 131 State Street, Boston, Mass. to stockholders of record at the close of business December 24th, 1913.

CHARLES A. HUBBARD, Treasurer.

United Shoe Machinery Corporation

The Directors of this Corporation have declared a quarterly dividend of 1½% (37½c per share) on the Preferred capital stock and a dividend of 2% (50c per share) on the Common capital stock, both payable January 5th, 1914, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 16th, 1913.

L. A. COOLIDGE, Treasurer.

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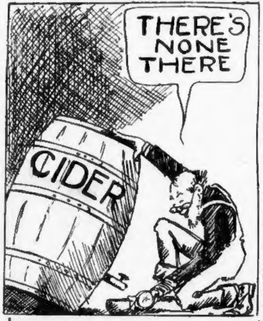

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BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to 1:15 for leading Boston stocks:

RAILROADS.	High	Low	1:15
Boston Elevated	89	88⅝	88⅝
Boston & Maine	44	40½	41
Fitchburg pf.	75	75	75
N. Y., N. H. & H.	69½	67½	67¼
Old Colony	167	167	167
MINING STOCKS.			
Calumet & Arizona	60½	60½	60½
Copper Range	32½	32	32
Daly-West	2½	2½	2½
Franklin	2⅝	2½	2½
Greene-Cananea	29	29	29
Mass.	2 1-16	2 1-16	2 1-16
Nevada Con.	14½	14¼	14½
North Butte	24½	24¼	24½
Old Colony	4	4	4
Osceola	70	68	69½
Shannon	6	6	6
Superior	23	23	23
Utah Con.	8½	8½	8½
Victoria	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Winona	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
TELEPHONES.			
American	118	115¾	116¼
ELECTRIC COMPANIES.			
Edison Electric	241½	240⅝	240⅝
Edison Elec. rts	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
MISCELLANEOUS.			
Am. Pneumatic	2½	2½	2½
Am. Pneumatic pf.	17	17	17
Mass. Gas	91½	91½	91½
Mass. Gas pf.	92½	92½	92½
United Fruit	159½	159	159
United Shoe Mach.	50½	50½	50½
Un. Shoe M. pf.	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝
UNLISTED SECURITIES.			
Amalgamated	71	70	70⅝
Am. Ag. Chem.	44⅝	44½	44⅝
Am. Ag. Chem. pf.	90½	90½	90½
Alaska Gold	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝
Am. Woolen pf.	77½	77½	77½
Am. Zinc	16½	16½	16½
Atl., Gulf & W. I.	8	8	8
Balaklava	4¼	4¼	4¼
Butte & Superior	28	27⅝	27⅝
Chino	37½	37½	37½
East Butte	9½	9½	9½
Kerr Lake	4 7-16	4⅝	4⅝
New Haven rts.	80c	65c	80c
Nipissing	8⅛	8½	8½
Swift & Co.	103¼	103	103⅜
U. S. Smelting	36½	36½	36½
U. S. Smelting pf.	47½	47	47

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to 1:15 for leading New York stocks:

RAILROADS.	High.	Low.	1:15.
Atch., T. & S. F.	93	92⅝	92⅝
Balt. & Ohio	92¾	92⅝	92⅝
Brooklyn Rap. Tr.	86¼	86	86
Canadian Pac	224¼	222⅝	224
Ches. & Ohio	57	57	57
Chic., M. & St. P.	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
Erie	28	27½	27⅝
Erie 1st pf.	43½	43	43¼
Gt. Northern pf.	124½	124½	124½
Int.-Metropol.	14⅝	14½	14½
Int.-Met. pf.	59⅝	58⅝	59¼
Lehigh Valley	148⅝	147¼	148¼
Missouri Pac.	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛
N. Y. C. & Hud.	93⅝	92¼	92¼
N. Y., N. H. & H.	69½	67⅝	68
N. Y., Ont. & W.	26	26	26
Northern Pac	107⅝	107¼	107⅝
Pennsylvania	108⅝	106⅝	107¼
Reading	164½	163¼	163⅝
Rock Island	13⅝	13⅛	13⅝
Rock Island pf.	21	20¼	21
Southern Pac	87⅝	86⅝	87
Southern Ry	22½	22⅛	22½
Union Pacific	153⅛	151⅝	152½
INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.			
Amal. Copper	71⅜	70	70⅝
Am. Tel. & Tel.	118	115¾	116½
Alaska Gold	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝
Am. Locomotive	29⅛	29¼	29¼
Am. Sm. & R.	62	61½	61½
Am. Can	27½	26⅝	27
Am. Can pf.	88⅛	87⅝	87⅞
Central Leather	24½	24⅛	24⅜
Anaconda Cop.	34¼	34⅛	34¼
Con. Gas (N. Y.)	127	127	127
Chino	37⅞	37¼	37⅜
Gen. Electric	138½	138½	138½
Mex. Petroleum	43⅜	43⅛	43⅜
Pacific Mail	23⅜	23	23⅜
People's Gas	116⅝	116½	116½
Rumely	14	14	14
Rumely pf.	34½	34½	34½
U. S. Rubber	55¼	55¼	55¼
U. S. Steel	57⅛	56	56⅝
Utah Copper	48½	48	48¼
West. Un. Tel.	61	60½	60½
West. El. & Mfg.	64½	64¼	64¼
Tennessee Copper	29⅛	29⅛	29⅛

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COMMENT AND FACT IN TRADE AND FINANCE

By B. C. FORBES, Business Editor.

Will President Wilson please ask the Interstate Commerce Commission to expedite its decision on railroad rates?

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Uncertainty kills.

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I hear that a tremendously onerous demand for an entirely new mass—mountain— of statistics has been made at the suggestion of Mr. Brandies, whose attitude toward the railroads is well known.

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Here are the facts as I understand them:

At a cost of more than a million dollars the railroads have prepared statistics of every conceivable kind covering the last ten years.

This was thought sufficient, in all conscience.

Then the commission engaged Mr. Brandeis. Not content with full records extending back a whole decade, MR. BRANDEIS, I AM TOLD, INDUCED THE COMMISSION TO ORDER THE RAILROADS TO COMPILE SIMILARLY EXHAUSTIVE DATA FOR FIVE YEARS FURTHER BACK—BACK FIFTEEN YEARS ALTOGETHER.

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Now, railway accounts were not always kept fifteen years ago as they are prepared now, and in order to have proper comparisons an appalling amount of expert labor will have to be spent—and paid for.

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You must pay for all these fifteen-year-old statistics. Do you think they are absolutely necessary?

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Have YOU no objection to the whole question being held up indefinitely and an enormous additional expense involved?

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To those of us who are neither lawyers nor experts, records covering a full decade would seem to be sufficient on which to base an intelligent decision. Why pile on the agony? Why entail inordinate work and expense, for which every one of us must pay, simply because the commission has it in its power to put the railroads through any paces it sees fit?

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The delay involved is even more serious than the expense itself. Mr. Brandeis, I understand, was not prepared to go on with his case. As his engagement was apparently an afterthought, this is not astonishing. Presumably, the commission reckoned that the shippers would, if they had objections, hire counsel to present these objections, as was done last time, and as everybody believed would be the natural thing to do again.

High Cost Caused by Big Population

By BOERSIANER.

In meditating upon the profitableness of looking beyond the surface of things economic and parliamentarian, the thought came to the recorder of these lines that the high-cost-of-living grubbers were grubbing superficially. Trusts, cold-storage manoeuvres, greedy middlemen and so on are open manifestations of a deep-rooted cause; are rendered possible by what lies beneath.

Excepting France, every civilized and semi-civilized country has doubled in population within half a century. America's inhabitants have trebled. But in this increase a dangerous disproportion has fallen to the agricultural communities. So small has it been that food production has not been commensurate with the normal consumption.

The story is told in values. Although farming in the last decade has become extremely profitable, the price of farm land increased only 23 per cent., as compared with real estate in the country's leading cities—using 100 as a numerical comparison.

If some of the energy now devoted to the construction of yachts, motors, theatres, apartment houses and slum tenements were diverted to tilling more acres there were no food problem—and no chance to lift the cost of this or that commodity artificially.

Stock Will Break 30, Says Lawson

One aftermath of the passing of the New Haven dividend is a statement by Thomas W. Lawson. Today he made these few remarks:

> After the passing of the New Haven dividend the press asked for my opinion. This morning I am asked by stockholders. I will give it to this extent.
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> I believe the stock will sell off and off to below 30. This is my cold-blooded, unbiased opinion. I have no interest in New Haven. I never owned a share, never sold a share, and we—the New Haven people and myself—were such friends as to make it impossible for me to take any hand in the late kilkennying, and I took none, although strongly and repeatedly importuned to take the steering captaincy of the attack and the defence.
>
> I believe the New Haven has great possibilities; that eventually it will get straightened out, but so far as the stock price goes it will, in my opinion, become a traight football and pay severe penalty for the gutting and unspinning of this once magnificent investment property.
>
> Of course this morning the relief corps is standing by. It always does at salvage time, and in this case particularly. It is not its intention to get slung into jail by a frenzied mob of pillaged stockholders if it can prevent it. Therefore the word has gone out: "Do everything possible to smooth things along for the few days intervening between now, the passing of the dividend, and rotten revelations."
>
> THOMAS W. LAWSON.

BOSTON CURB.

Following is the range of prices to 11 o'clock for leading Curb stocks:

QUALIFIED LIST.	High.	Low.	11 o'clock
Bay State Gas	17c	17c	17c
Chief Con.	1 1-16	1 1-16	1 1-16
First National	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜

BRANDEIS SEES NO DIVIDENDS FOR MANY YEARS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—"Rotten banking management controlling the affairs of the New Haven railroad is directly responsible for the cutting of dividends of this system," today declared Louis D. Brandeis, special attorney for the physical valuation of railroads for the Interstate Commerce Commission.

He added that New York banking interests had all but bankrupted the New Haven road and that in the process of its rehabilitation he could not see how the system could pay dividends on "watered stock" for some time to come.

"Stock manipulation, pyramiding and high finance," he asserted, "are all evils that have resulted in the road's financial condition. It is now in competent hands, I believe, and during its process of reorganization there is no doubt in my mind that the directors will be forced to conserve the capital and earnings for some years to come.

"President Elliott is handling the situation in New England for the best interests not only of the stockholders, but of the transportation problems presented. My stand on the management and direction of the New Haven system is well known to all. I have repeatedly fought the special interests which have been gouging the people of New England, not alone by excessive freight rates, but by manipulation of its stock. I might add that millions of dollars have been vaulted in New York city that were taken from widows and orphans in New England by a grasping bank coterie in New York."

Chairman Clark and Commissioners McChord and Clements of the Interstate Commerce Commission declined to discuss the New Haven directors' action, on the ground that it would be improper for them to do so while the commission is investigating the application of Eastern carriers for an increase in freight rates.

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Belfast for Philadelphia (to repair).
Juniata for Newport News and Baltimore.
Onondaga for Charleston and Jacksonville.

DUE TODAY.

Satsuma from ports in China and Japan.
Afghan Prince from ports in China and Japan.
Buffalo from Hull.

DUE FRIDAY.

Arabic from Liverpool and Queenstown.
Caledonian from Manchester.
Hochelaga from Louisburg.

DUE SATURDAY.

Zuiderdyk from Rotterdam.

DUE SUNDAY.

Limon from Port Limon.
Madawaska from Calcutta and Colombo.

DUE MONDAY

Polerie from ports in China and Japan.
Gracia from Hamburg.
Bayamon from New Orleans.

DUE TUESDAY.

Diana from Copenhagen.

NOTES.

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Real Estate—Newton.

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NEWTON—Substantial 9-room house; open plumbing, good piazza; stable for 2 horses; property in excellent condition; price for quick sale $3,700. JOHN T. BURNS & SONS, 363 Centre st., Newton.

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CARTER—In East Milton, Dec. 9, Ann E., widow of Wallace H. Carter, in her 72nd year. Funeral services at her late home, 98 Sheldon st., Saturday, Dec. 13, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

CONNORS—In Dorchester, Dec. 9, Henry V., beloved husband of Mary Connors (nee McCarthy). Funeral from his late residence, 9 Victoria st., Friday, Dec. 12, at 8:15 a. m. High mass of requiem at St. William's Church, at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

CONTI—In this city, Dec. 10, Raffaele, beloved husband of Theresa Conti (nee Michetti). Funeral from his late residence, 28 Hull st., Sunday, Dec. 14, at [illegible] a. m. Services at the Sacred Heart Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

EMERY—In South Boston, at her late home, [illegible] Columbia st., Fannie [illegible], wife of George W. Emery and daughter of Florence M. [illegible]. Services from the South Baptist Church, [illegible], Friday, Dec. 12, at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. [illegible] papers please copy.

FITZGERALD—In Charlestown, Dec. 10, Ellen E., beloved wife of the late James Fitzgerald [illegible]. Funeral from her late residence, 21 Henley st., Saturday, Dec. 13, at 8:15. Requiem high mass at St. Mary's Church, Warren st., at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends are kindly invited to attend.

GLENNON—In South Boston, Dec. 10, Nicholas, beloved husband of Annie Glennon (nee [illegible]), 55 yrs. Funeral from his late residence, 105 Emerson st., Friday, Dec. 12, at 8:30 a. m. High mass at Gate of Heaven Church, at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Chicago and St. Paul, Minn., papers please copy.

HANNAWIN—In Lynn, Dec. 10, Catherine, widow of Patrick Hannawin, and mother of the Rev. Francis P. Hannawin of Randolph, 68 yrs. Funeral will be held from her late residence, [illegible] st., Lynn, Saturday, at 9 a. m. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Joseph's Church, Lynn, at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited. Kindly omit flowers.

JENKINS—In Boston, Dec. 9, at his late residence, 27 Camden st., William H. Jenkins, husband of Belinda Mumford Jenkins. Funeral Friday, Dec. 12, at 1 o'clock, at the Twelfth Baptist Church, Shawmut av. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. [illegible] papers please copy.

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SHANNON—In Lynn, Dec. 10, John A. Shannon, 42 yrs. 11 mos. 25 ds. Funeral will be held from his late residence, 62 Baker st., Lynn, Friday, at 8 a. m. Requiem high mass at St. Mary's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited. Portland papers please copy.

SHEHAN—In Dorchester, Dec. 9, Annie M., wife of John F. Shehan (nee Dillon), 29 yrs. 6 mos. Funeral from late residence, 131 King st., Friday, Dec. 12, at 9 a. m. Services at St. Ann's Church, Neponset av., at 10. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

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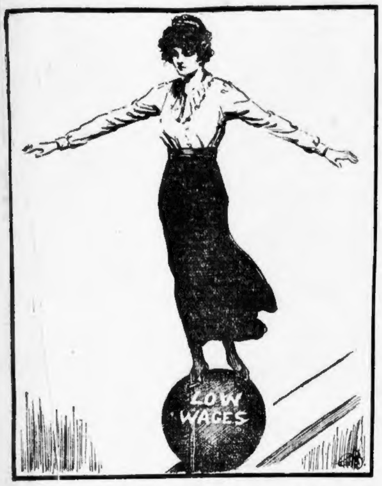

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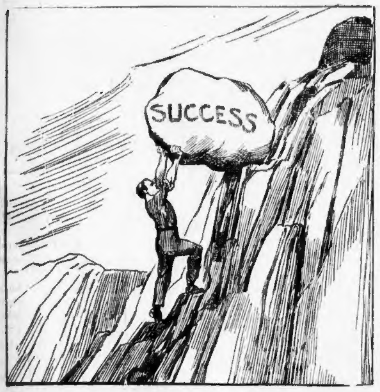

IT CAN BE DONE

There you are, Mr. Reader, or at least there you **OUGHT** to be. Sisyphus is the gentleman in mythology who had to keep rolling a stone up hill, only to have it roll down again.

Each of us imagines himself something of a Sisyphus.

We are all pushing something up and having it roll back.

But the thing **CAN** be done.

You can roll the big stone to the top of the hill, then sit down on it, and get a fine view of the neighboring country.

Whether your thoughts are worth while when you get up there and sit on the hilltop of life depends on the kind of man you are.

In any case, you have the fun of pushing and climbing.

Many a man has gone up Mt. Blanc, merely to say that he **WENT UP** and with not the slightest desire to look around.

Think and write about what **YOU** will do when you have rolled your success to the top of life's hill and sit down on it with leisure to think and

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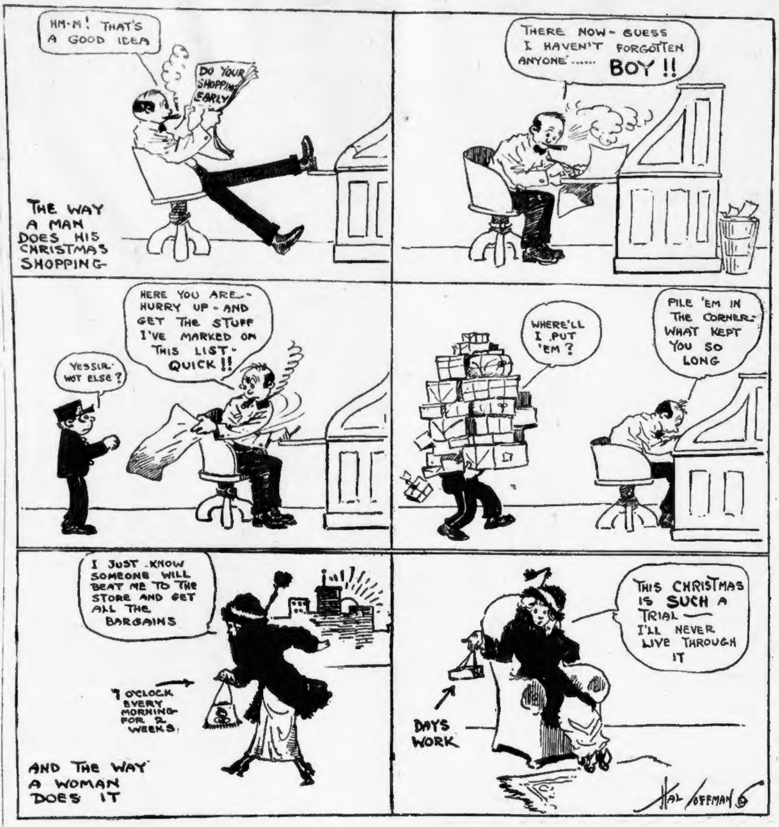
CHRISTMAS IS COMING


HM-M! THAT'S A GOOD IDEA
DO YOUR SHOPPING EARLY
THE WAY A MAN DOES HIS CHRISTMAS SHOPPING
THERE NOW—GUESS I HAVEN'T FORGOTTEN ANYONE ...... BOY!!
HERE YOU ARE—HURRY UP—AND GET THE STUFF I'VE MARKED ON THIS LIST—QUICK!!
YESSIR WOT ELSE?
WHERE'LL I PUT 'EM?
PILE 'EM IN THE CORNER—WHAT KEPT YOU SO LONG
I JUST KNOW SOMEONE WILL BEAT ME TO THE STORE AND GET ALL THE BARGAINS
7 O'CLOCK EVERY MORNING FOR 2 WEEKS
AND THE WAY A WOMAN DOES IT
THIS CHRISTMAS IS SUCH A TRIAL—I'LL NEVER LIVE THROUGH IT
DAY'S WORK
HAL COFFMAN

World Uses 12,318,000 Telephones

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If some Voltaire of the planet Jupiter were made acquainted with the telephone statistics of the planet Earth, he might find therein material for the most biting sarcasm, which would greatly amuse his readers and yet be founded upon a complete misunderstanding.

"Look at that little, six-foot world down there," he would say, sneeringly; "it makes up in talk what it lacks in size. Its diminutive inhabitants, not content with the wagging tongues that nature has given them, have invented a speaking machine to increase and spread the deafening babblement in which they delight. There are 1,500,000,000 tongues on their planet, including those of the babies, but to these they have added 12,000,000 machines, which enormously multiply the talking power.

"They are not satisfied with the natural reach of their ears, as ordinary asses are, but they must stretch them, electrically, around the whole circumference of their insignificant globe, while they cackle and clack and bray to the very heavens!

"There is one small trapezoid on their spotty globe, which they call the United States of America, that seems to be the storm centre of this cyclone of talk. It has 9,000,000 tongues and 8,000,000 talking-machines, two-thirds of the entire number possessed by that whole little bibble-babble world! They have a city called Los Angeles, which contains a machine for every four inhabitants. 'City of Angels' do they name it? City of Magpies, rather!

"What can they be talking about so much? How does it happen that they cannot rest content with the speaking apparatus that nature, already too liberal to such petty creatures, has bestowed upon them? Are they wearying their own weak brains with nonsensical chatter? The next thing we hear, perhaps, they will be sending their yawps up to us. These pestiferous little worlds are enough to make a Jovian tired! We only speak when we have something large to say, and among us only wise men are born with tongues."

Such might be the hasty remarks of the derisive philosopher of the planet of Jove upon learning of the vast extension of the telephone systems of the earth, and the news that we are now beginning to talk through the ether, to send our wandering voices out into space on the tireless wings of electricity, would, doubtless, increase his irritation and accentuate his scorn.

But what a sad error he would commit! How his eyes would be opened if he could but pay us a visit! If he were frank he would confess that he had slandered us. If he were really wise he would admit that speech is good for others besides philosophers. And then, too, he would perceive that instead of multiplying vain talk, the telephone restrains it. In extending the reach of speech it restricts its volume locally and teaches brevity, succinctness and clearness. No doubt telephone girls do gossip sometimes, but it is a kind of refined, abbreviated gossip, an improved variety. Unquestionably love messages are occasionally spoken over the wires, but who could object to that? They, too, are refined, abbreviated and made more pointed.

The telephone has done a great deal for freedom of speech, clearing it of obscurity, of prolixity, of pretense, of false modesty, and especially of that element of personal shrinking which affects the sincerity of utterance, face to face, of all but the most frank and fearless spirits. Very few men express their real thoughts as boldly and straightforwardly in ordinary conversation as they do in the quasi impersonal converse that occurs at the telephone. Of course, there is another side to the picture. The man who has something to conceal behind his speech probably finds relief in the absence of the penetrating eyes of his interlocutor when he talks by telephone; he is, as it were, protected by a screen.

Still, the advantage remains with sincerity and frankness, and one can say a painful, but necessary, thing much more easily by telephone. Perhaps if the right of woman to propose marriage is ever put into practice (see Hearst's Magazine for October on this subject), it will first be done by telephone. The truth would be told, and the blushes and confusion spared.

It is unnecessary to refer to the enormous saving of time and the tremendous facilitation of business that the telephone has affected. At the close of 1912 the whole world contained 12,318,000 telephones, of which the United States had 8,357,625, and all Europe only 3,153,000. The city of New York alone possessed 441,128, almost exactly double the number possessed by London. Chicago stood third among the great cities of the world with 279,383 telephones. But Los Angeles and San Francisco held the percentage record, each having one telephone for about every four inhabitants.

After the Jovian Voltaire had studied these facts on the spot he would go back and change his tune. he would then declare that the United States was not the storm centre of useless babble, but the great focus of talk to the purpose, of speech concentrated to its real essence.

On to San Francisco

By MATTHIAS ERZBERGER

Member of the Reichstag and Leader of the Centrist Party

(In the Berlin Tageblatt.)

This article was written after the Deutches Journal of New York, with an enterprise that was the wonder and admiration of Germany, published a special edition in Berlin to persuade the Germans of the value of a great national exhibit at the Panama Fair in San Francisco.

As to the world's fair in San Francisco, for us Germans there is only this question: Shall Germany's participation be a true picture of our national life or shall we, by bungling, furnish a distorted picture? No other question is before us, for it is already a fact that there will be a German exposition in the rebuilt metropolis on the Pacific.

Today only the manner in which Germany shall participate is still in doubt, because participation was officially declined, an action incomprehensible to the public. Why this declination, since exhibits were made by Germany at the expositions in Chicago, St. Louis and other cities. If we should follow the lead of these doubters, Germany might as well encase herself in a snail's house.

It is said the promoters of our industries do not want to go to San Francisco. In its sweeping character this statement is false. An important part of our manufacturers today take a different stand from that of four months ago.

The work of our artisans finds a friendly welcome in the United States. German art wants to show itself. All our municipal organizations and institutions we want to present to the world and, finally, our educational achievements and our social institutions. Here we can show the New World the "newest world." Quite a number of branches of our industries will follow the example. Some argue against official participation on account of the cost.

If the German people can spend a billion for protection against their enemies then the public can also sacrifice a modest sum assisting a work of culture. Participation in San Francisco will be a paying investment or, better said, our absence would be harmful to us.

But if all considerations of an economic or commercial character were not conclusive, the national point of view would force us to participate. The German-American National Alliance would not understand why we should stay away. Their members, of whom there are millions, expect their Fatherland to take part. The fatherland of all others will be there. Who would invite the inevitable harm that would befall our ideals, caused by our absence? Should our policy of repulsion hurt people of our own race?

A calm contemplation of all deciding factors imposes upon us the duty to be represented in San Francisco in a manner worthy of our country. It would be a great mistake of our foreign policy if ambiguity or even official non-participation should be the result of all these considerations.

If the desire to save money overshadows everything else we might as well cut the cost of a new Ambassador's palace in Washington or even the Ambassador's salary for several years to come from the budget, for it is not clear what an Ambassador should do over there under such conditions.

It is not a very encouraging sign to hear more voices exclaim against a cultural work undertaken in conjunction by two nations, than against new armaments of all nations.

The W.lson Policies

(From the Brooklyn Eagle.)

Mr. Hearst's letter to the President says it is not incompatible with any moral obligations to consider the welfare of a country and the financial welfare of individual citizens.

More, rather than less, of utterances such as these should drift in the direction of Washington. For even idealists have appetites and must eat to live, if they do not live to eat. And, no matter how abstractions may glitter, fuel, as well as food, must be bought, and clothing cannot be had for nothing. Those who produce also consume.

Truisms of this sort are prosaic, but important. There is what Mr. Hearst calls "a very heavy shadow upon the producing interests of the country and upon the general prosperity of the producing classes." The list of the unemployed is lengthening. Anything Mr. Hearst can do or say, calculated to shorten it, will be well said and well done. It is a game worth the powder.

Stars and Stripes

Fifteen-year-old girl needs $6,000 income. Must be saving up to catch some duke.

Emperor William forbids tangoing. As always, makes people dance to his own tune.

Why We Behave Better on Cloudy, Smoky Days

Some remarkable new discoveries of science concerning the effect of the condition of the atmosphere on the conduct of children, criminals, or other human beings are related in a most interesting article in Next Sunday's Boston **AMERICAN**, which also will publish these big exclusive features:

From Fashionable Newport to a Philippine Jungle

How Mrs. Lorillard Spencer, prominent member of the Four Hundred and Mrs. Vanderbilt's next-door neighbor, will give up social frivolities and become a missionary among the wretched Moro tribes.

The Crusade Against the London Music Halls

Some very curious examples of the new dances and plays against which British clergymen are warning us and which Bernard Shaw is defending.

The 1-Cent Lunch New York School Children Get

Attractive and nourishing dishes provided little students in the new campaign to protect them from poverty's lack of food and ignorance's wrong food.

Surprising Facts About the Liquor Business

How all the expenses of our prisons, police, courts and public charities are paid by the whiskey and beer taxes and a good-sized balance is still left from the revenue received from the saloons for other useful government purposes.

The Governor of Delaware Explains Why Whipping Prisoners Prevents Crime

A defence of the lash as a crime preventive and a defiance to the "Sentimentalists" who would abolish it, written by the Hon. Charles R. Miller, Governor of Delaware.

The Lure of the Mid-Winter Furs

Lady Duff-Gordon, the famous "Lucile" of London, describes the new close clinging coats that add no breadth to the plump—the odd fur scarves and purple moleskins which are so much in favor.

Madame Cavalieri's Beauty Secrets

The famous prima donna gives here some valuable recipes which will help other women to make their mouths more beautiful.

How Science Is Making Mad Dogs Less Dangerous

Now that we know the germ which causes the disease hydrophobia is easier to detect and a new vaccine can be devised for its cure.

Evelyn Thaw's Own Story of Her Life

Another double page installment of this fascinating narrative, in which Mrs. Thaw herself lays bare the secrets of her career.

Loveless Royal Marriages the Price of Balkan Peace

How three charming Princesses from Russia and Roumania must be sacrificed to help the selfish interests of European diplomacy and bring the barbarous war to an end.

Those Surprising Skyscraper Hats

Here are pictured some of the most extraordinary horrors of headgear which women are wearing this season.

What a Boy Should Aim For

By EDWIN MARKHAM

William De Witt Hyde, president of Bowdoin College, in a book called "The Quest of the Best," gives one of the wisest of recent studies on the training of boys. I recommend it to homes, schools and clubs. Here is one of its summaries:

"If we put together the separate features of the boy who is enlisted in the Quest of the Best, the portrait will be something like this:

"He keeps himself clean and neat out of regard for others, but on occasion is ready to get as dirty as work or play may require.

"He eats heartily, but only such and so much food as will keep him in most effective working and playing condition.

"He foregoes liquor and tobacco whenever they would mean either deterioration for himself, or destruction of those weaker than he.

"He takes all the amusement and fun he can get without annoyance or degradation of others, or enervation of himself.

"He works with an eye to his employer's interest as well as his own; but not when he can help it to the point of dulness or chronic fatigue.

"He spends freely for what he enjoys, and saves for a rainy day; yet holds all his spending and saving subject to the claim of persons and causes more needy or worthy than he.

"He stoutly and bravely defends with all there is in him whatever he stands for; yet would rather be called a coward than do a foolish or foolhardy thing to avoid it.

"He looks out shrewdly for himself; yet just as shrewdly for his customer, creditor, employer or employe.

"He tells the truth in kindness to all who have a right to hear it.

"He makes the future as real as the present, and treats present and future, both for self and for others, as one.

"He is orderly for the most part, and disorderly on special occasions, as the pleasure and convenience of all concerned may require.

"He regards himself as a member and servant of the one social whole, and holds the social claim above individual inclination whenever the two conflict.

"Not that any boy, or man for that matter, attains this comprehensive Best; but that he who is enlisted in the Quest of the Best deliberately accepts nothing lower or less."

PUTTY: He Cracks the Whip